MINING SHARES FOR SALE—The following are specially recommended to us: Crown Point, Evening Star, Josie, Iron Mask, War Eagle, Poorman, Monte Cristo, Mayflower, Georgia, Jumbo, Virginia and Cariboo of Camp McKinney. A. W. More & Co., Mining Brokers, 70 Douglas Street.

The Daily Colonist.

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That is worn and out of fashion, when by bringing it to us you can have it made over in new styles, or exchanged for new goods. We allow full value for gold, silver and stones, in exchange for new goods, or pay cash for it if desired.

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Diploma awarded by the Winnipeg Industrial Exhibition Association to The Hudson's Bay Co. for Best Flour made from Red Fyfe Wheat at the Annual Exhibition of 1895.

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WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED BY EXPRESS

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The Purest and Best.

Made from select fruit and cane sugar. The greatest care is exercised in their preparation and exquisite cleanliness observed. We only make one quality—the best—the same as supplied to the order of His Excellency Lord Aberdeen.

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WANTED—A good general servant for small family. Apply No. 9 Montreal st. au25-2

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LOST—On Franklin or Douglas streets, a yellow Topaz bee brooch. Finder will be rewarded on returning to X.Y.Z., this office. au25-1t

LOST—A Gordon setter pup at Goldstream Sunday. The finder please return to Wm. Bryant, blacksmith shop, Douglas street. au25-2t

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A TOILET LUXURY. 25 CENTS PER POT.

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THIS DAY, AT 2 P.M.

I will sell at my salesrooms, Yates street, a lot of furniture, comprising: Cherry bedroom set, dark set ditto, walnut crib, single bedstead, splendid spring mattresses, 2 parlor suites in brocatelle and silk plush extension tables, hall racks, sideboard, sewing machine, chairs, stands, chandeliers, heating stoves, Brussels and tapestry carpets, handsome bed lounge, pictures, ornaments, bird cages (breeding, etc.), also 1 photo view cabinet with lenses 6½x4¾, Tripod and three dry plate holders complete; one view box 5x8 with stereoscopic attachment and two plate holders; one portable cabinet 6¾x4¾, one lot dry plates (assorted sizes) and 11 volumes Philadelphia Photographer (illustrated).

GROCERIES AND HARDWARE,

Plated silver links, buttons, studs, charms, etc., gold and silver watches, valuable jewelry.

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AUCTION

Saturday, August 29th, at 11 a.m.

On Account of Whom it May Concern

The Fine Iron Clipper Ship "Kilbrannan"

I am instructed to sell at my salesrooms, YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B.C., the above ship as she now lies in Esquimalt Harbor, British Columbia, consisting of hull, spars, sails, anchors, chains and all appurtenances belonging. Length 256, beam 38, depth 24.9; registered tonnage 1572, and carries 2550 tons on Lloyds' freeboard. She has always been well kept up, and prior to her accident was in first-class condition, and passed her No. 3 survey in July, 1895. Her last trip from San Francisco to Cork was made in 103 days.

Any further particulars will be promptly supplied on application to the Auctioneer or Capt. McCallum, on board. Terms cash.

Intending purchasers may inspect at my office a plan drawn to scale, of damage to the bottom and inside of her hull, made from a survey by the Albion Iron Works.

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Shares for Sale.

4000 Monte Cristo	17c
3000 Grand Prize	5c
500 Silverine	11½c
500 Old Ironsides	13c
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5000 Dewdney	6c
5000 Palo Alto	10c
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Notice of Removal.

The place of business of the undersigned, and also his address for the service of all notices, papers and other proceedings, has at this date been changed to No. 20 Chancery Lane (near Langley street), Victoria.

Dated this 15th day of August, 1896.

W. H. LANGLEY, Barrister-at-Law, Solicitor, etc.

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THE MILITARY COLLEGE

General Cameron to At Once Resign the Command—Government Savings Bank Deposits.

Important Military Changes—The Allan Line and the Fast Atlantic Service.

OTTAWA, Aug. 24.—General Cameron, commandant of the Royal Military College, is to resign immediately. The board of visitors last year reported that a change in the headship of the college was desirable every seven years.

The Thirteenth battalion won the first prize for ten men teams of the rifle league with a score of 3,540. The Westminster company of the Fifth is eighth with 3,412, and the third with 20 men teams.

The deposits in the Government Savings Banks last month exceeded the withdrawals by $218,000.

Mr. Andrew Allan, of the Allan line, is here to-day and had an interview with the Premier on the fast Atlantic service.

The strength of the field batteries has been increased from four to six guns, from 79 to 102 men and from 29 to 49 horses. Troops of cavalry are being converted into squadrons and increased by seven men to enable them to drill in accordance with the new drill. All the camps of instruction will commence on either September 8 or 15.

To-day's general orders contain no reference to Manitoba or British Columbia.

THE MANITOBA JOB.

Mowat Says the School Question Is Not Settled—The Bribe Held Out to the Province.

TORONTO, Aug. 24. — (Special) — The Mail-Empire says editorially: "Sir Oliver Mowat no doubt outlined the situation correctly when he announced in the Senate that the Manitoba school question is not settled. The party organs are pretending that a basis of settlement has been reached and are issuing hints and insinuations as to terms, but it is evident from Sir Oliver's statement that the organs are chiefly engaged in an attempt to swindle the electors of North Grey. It is gratifying to know that Sir Oliver takes no part in the deception. He knows of course that the Interior portfolio is held out as a bribe to the Manitoba local ministers to come down. Some one is to get a rich prize if he will swallow his opinion, otherwise the "Masters of the Administration" will shoot. But at the same time he acknowledges that the reward has not yet been earned, and intimates that while a settlement is hoped for, in other words, while it is desired that Mr. Watson or Mr. Sifton or Mr. Martin may qualify, the job in all its baseness has not yet been accomplished.

THE PRAIRIE CAPITAL.

Warm Reception to the Four-Oared Champion Crew—Noteworthy Travellers.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 24.—(Special) - The four-oared champion crew of America, sent to Brockville and Saratoga to represent the Winnipeg Rowing Club and the athletic quality of Manitobans generally, returned from the scene of their victories this afternoon. They were met at the C.P.R. depot by a large crowd of people, and as they stepped from the train were greeted with cheers. A procession was formed, and headed by a band of music, proceeded to the Manitoba hotel where Mayor Jameson delivered an address of welcome. All the flags were flying and many of the stores were decorated.

Hon. T. M. Daly, ex-minister of the interior, passed through here en route to Brandon, his old home, to-day.

Prof. Saunders, head of the experimental farms, is at Brandon on his usual trip of inspection. He passed through the city last night accompanied by his son.

TORONTO TOPICS.

Premier Hardy is Sick—The Late Provincial Secretary—North Bruce Election Contest.

TORONTO, Aug. 24.—(Special)—Premier Hardy is suffering from inflammation of the lungs and is confined to his house. No anxiety is felt, however.

The parliament buildings were closed out of respect for the late Provincial Secretary. Many speculations are rife as to his successor. Messrs. Davis, Stratton, McKay, Hobbs and Pattulo are all in the field with odds in favor of the first named.

A cross petition has been filed against Mr. Bonar, the defeated candidate in North Bruce. The usual charges are made, and also that the candidate, who is a doctor, treated his patients free.

What They Do in Germany.

Dutch peasants are proverbially stolid and slow but they are quick enough to grasp new ideas for increasing their comfort. For years they have used wooden sabots for footwear on account of their lightness and warmth; and now they have stockings made of a yarnwhic his spun out of pure wood fibre; and their coats and vests are interlined with Fibré Chamois, which is nothing more or less than a wooden cloth, made as it is entirely from Spruce Fibre. These same stolid peasants realize thoroughly the non-conducting properties of the wood and avail themselves of the inexpensive warmth it provides. Fibre Chamois has a world-wide reputation as a warmth giving interlining, for it is so light that its presence is hardly felt in a garment and yet it gives an absolute healthful protection from the coldest blasts of a long stormy winter.

NEWS OF THE DOMINION.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

Nova Scotia Crops.

HALIFAX, Aug. 24.—The reports of the provincial government on the condition of the Nova Scotia crops show the following averages: Hay, 98 per cent.; potatoes, 94; oats, 102; wheat, 97; barley, 98; buckwheat. 97; Indian corn, 95; turnips, 98.

Saw Mills Destroyed.

OWEN SOUND, Aug. 24.—Murphy's saw mills, at Murphy's siding, were fired by lightning on Saturday night, and with a large quantity of sawn lumber, logs, etc., destroyed. Loss, $25,000; insurance, $7,000.

Charged With Murder.

BRANDON, Aug. 24.—In the police court, Arthur Gerhard, charged with the murder of Joseph Henry, appeared for preliminary hearing and was remanded till to-morrow morning. Deputy Attorney-General McLean will prosecute.

Premier Flynn to Issue an Address.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—Hon. Mr. Flynn, prime minister of Quebec, is about to issue an address to the electors of his province.

In Financial Difficulties.

TORONTO, Aug. 24.—The firm of Foster & Pender, King street East, is in financial difficulties, having had some bad losses lately.

Chief Justice Russell and His Friends.

NIAGARA FALLS, Aug. 24.—Lord Russell, Chief Justice of England, and party arrived here on Saturday. They will leave here for Toronto to-morrow.

Fire at Alexandria.

ALEXANDRIA, Aug 24.—A fire gutted the St. Lawrence hotel and A. McPhee's store, J. McLeister's store and the Misses McDonald's millinery store—partially covered by insurance. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

Chief Justice Russell Visits Montreal.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—Lord Russell will be in Montreal on Wednesday or Thursday next and a reception will be tendered him on behalf of the Montreal bench and bar.

Mine Manager Dead.

PORT ARTHUR, Aug. 24.—John W. Plummer, late manager of the Granite Mountain Delamar mines, died on Thursday in London, Eng., where he had gone to take a well-earned holiday. Mr. Plummer was an Algoma man, having been assistant manager of the Bruce mines in the sixties, and afterwards at Silver and Jarvis Islands, near Port Arthur, for a great many years.

Fatal Accidents.

BELLEVILLE, Aug. 24.—Mrs. Thomas Lockerby, an aged widow, was killed by a trolley here last night while crossing the track on Main street.

PORT ARTHUR, Aug. 24. — Two men named Carson and Kyler were killed while riding on a hand car, being struck by a stock train.

Next Minister of the Interior.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 24.—It is regarded in this city as a settled fact that as soon as the school question has been disposed of Hon. Mr. Sifton will accept the portfolio of Minister of the Interior and run in Brandon.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Two Women in Endeavoring to Save Their Children Lose Their Lives.

HUNTSVILLE, Aug. 24.—The premises owned by and occupied by Mrs. Snaife, a widow, have been destroyed by fire. Mrs. Snaife, her daughter, Mrs. Phillips and four children, Mrs. Spencer Snaife and her two children, were asleep upstairs at the time. The two younger rushed to save their children and were overcome by smoke and burned to death. Mrs. Snaife's two children also perished. Mrs. Phillips' daughter Jessie was so badly burned that her life is despaired of.

CANADA IN ENGLAND.

Numerous British Mining Syndicates Sending Out Experts to British Columbia—Manchester Seeking Trade.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—(Special)—Lieutenant-Governor Dewdney, of British Columbia, arrived from England on Saturday. He says a great many syndicates are being formed in London and are sending out engineers to report on the mines in British Columbia. Superintendent Stephens, of the Manchester ship canal, came over in the same steamer with him and will confer with Professor Robertson, Dominion dairy commissioner, and with the Canadian government, with a view to making Manchester a distributing point for Canadian products.

CUBAN INSURGENT MOVEMENTS.

Villages Burned in the Province of Santiago.

HAVANA, Aug. 24.—Dispatches received here from Holguin, province of Santiago de Cuba, announce that a force of 2,000 insurgents have attacked the forts of Banes. The insurgents, it is added, have twice called upon the garrisons of the forts to surrender, but the latter have refused to do so. The troops, however, were unable to prevent the insurgents from burning the villages in that vicinity.

Fifty years of success in curing Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cholera, Colic, Cramps, Bowel Complaints of summer and fall, etc., stamp Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry as the best remedy in the market. It saves children's lives.

DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Mr. W. W. B. McInnes Moves the Address—Sir Charles and the School Question.

The Battle in North Grey—Government Supporters After Public Offices—J. I. Tarte.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 24.—The debate on the address was opened to-day, Mr. W. W. B. McInnes, of Nanaimo (Vancouver), moving and Mr. Rodolphe Lemieux seconding the reply.

Sir Charles Tupper's speech was devoted to a review of his position on the school question. He promised cordial assistance to Mr. Laurier in securing a settlement of the question. He then took up the Chicago Record interview and severely condemned Mr. Laurier's unpatriotic policy. He urged the government to speedily end the present uncertainty regarding the tariff.

The Premier made a brief reply. He considered Sir Charles Tupper's speech was not uncomplimentary on the whole, and endeavored to vindicate the government's policy on the school question, but gave no idea as to what the settlement would be.

Replying to questions several members were informed that there would be no legislation this session. Mr. Laurier said if the session were protracted beyond its expected length the government might think it advisable to introduce a franchise repeal act. The Conservatives laughed uproariously at this weak bluff.

Sir Richard Cartwright said that final action on the fast Atlantic steamship question had been deferred for the present.

Hon. Mr. Laurier again declined to present the papers regarding the resignation of the late ministry until the debate on the address had been finished.

A Commons story is going the rounds to-night. It is to the effect that while Mr. Laurier has assumed responsibility for the now famous Record interview, he never saw it until it appeared in print, Hon. Mr. Tarte being the author.

The Governor-General's warrants issued since the present government was in power amount to $2,006,022. The whole of this sum, with the exception of two small items, is for salaries for the public service.

OWEN SOUND, Aug. 24.—(Special)—North Grey is on the eve of a great political battle, as great, perhaps, as any in Canada during the recent general elections. The Liberals are desperate in their efforts to place Hon. Mr. Paterson at the head of the polls, for they know that his defeat would be a crushing blow to Mr. Laurier. Money is being lavished, promises of public works and improvements are being made, and the riding is alive with ward heelers, wire pullers and boodlers. The Conservatives, on the other hand, are putting up a great battle. All their forces are united and the indications are that they will elect Mr. McLaughlin. The presence of Hon. Hugh John Macdonald has accomplished much.

MONTREAL, Aug. 24.—The Liberals of Montreal are still after Mr. Fuller's scalp and it looks as if they would have to superannuate the architect of the department of public works if only to give place to a hungry follower. The other day Mr. Perrault, architect of this city, was after the job and now a petition is being circulated demanding the place for Mr. Gauthier, also of Montreal.

Hon. Mr. Tarte has an article in his paper here, Le Cultivateur, declaring that the public works of the Dominion have been allowed to go to decay under the previous ministers. Some people in view of this say that it looks as if the contractors of the new regime would have jobs galore in a very short time.

Le Cultivateur, Mr. Tarte's organ, says: "it would not be surprising if within the past ten or twelve days Mr. Laurier and his colleagues had made more progress towards the solution of the school question than was made in the course of the past five years."

GOLD CONTRACTS.

Indications That Their Validity in the United States Will Be Maintained Under All Circumstances.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—The Daily News this morning in an article discussing the powers of the United States Supreme court and the possibility of a decision in opposition to the validity of gold contracts says: "The point is complicated by the decision and the future course of the United States Supreme court in this particular is by no means so certain as Wall street and Lombard street would like to believe. The conservatism shown by the Supreme court and its special respect for property as demonstrated by its verdict against the income tax, however, indicate that the chances are in favor of the validity of gold contracts being maintained under all circumstances."

Carpets of all kinds at Weiler Bros.; Brussels, Tapestries, Velvets, Axminsters, Wiltons, and a large stock of rugs at Weiler Bros. x

The Rambler and Ideal wheels at reduced prices. Weiler Bros., agents. x

Complete shaving outfits at Fox's. x

You can trust your children to ride the little Hero or Heroine. These machines are strongly, yet neatly made. Weiler Bros. x

Buy Fruit Kettles at Cheapside. x

For a variety of nice refreshing cold drinks come and see M. C. Brown, Adelphia corner.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE

Stabbing Case—Arrest of the Assailant—Indignant Canners—End of the Sockeye Season.

Inquest at Salt Spring Island—Arrested for Jewelry Robbery—Mining Concerns.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

VANCOUVER.

VANCOUVER, Aug. 24.—The man who stabbed Robert Marshall at 5 o'clock on Saturday morning turns out to be a Russian Finn fisherman named Eagle. Before the police commenced to move he got well away, and is thought to have escaped to the other side. Marshall is very seriously wounded, but may pull through.

W. Pellew-Harvey has returned from Okanagan, where he went as a mining expert on behalf of a London mining syndicate.

Messrs. Holmes and Grace's liquor store was robbed yesterday. A policeman saw the thief running away. He had secured $15 and two bottles of wine.

Ex-Sergeant Haywood in his capacity of detective has, with the assistance of Nightwatchman Purdey, arrested two Chinamen implicated in the May Wright robbery in Westminster which took place some time ago, on which occasion the jewelry stolen was estimated to be worth $2,500. Detective Haywood was employed to trace the thief as only his accomplices were caught. He located his man yesterday and the arrest followed. The officers were offered heavy bribes to let the culprits off but refused.

The carnival hockey club meet promises to be the largest and most successful on record.

WESTMINSTER.

WESTMINSTER, Aug. 24.—Nearly every canner on the Fraser has expressed indignation at the Department of Marine and Fisheries extending the sockeye season without being asked by the canners to do so. The member for Westminster has been blamed for this ridiculous blunder.

Land has been purchased on the Fraser river front a mile from Westminster, for the purpose of erecting another cannery.

Another cannery is to be built on the site of the Laidlaw cannery.

Boutelier & Co. propose to enlarge their cannery.

Saturday night was practically the close of the canning season. It is thought the total pack will be over 300,000 cases. The Fraser River Industrial Packing Co. will continue canning until the end of the extension.

Mr. H. Young's residence at Sapperton was partly destroyed by fire last night. The fire originated in a mysterious manner under the stairs. Several neighbors put out the flames.

A site for the new linseed oil mill has been found satisfactory to all parties. If possible the ground chosen will be purchased and the erection of the mill proceeded with.

The special meeting appointed to submit a "list of wants" to the federal government through Mr. Morrison have met and prepared their petition, and subsequently submitted it to the council. The matters affecting the city's interests which require adjusting make a formidable list.

The Indians returning from the canneries are freely spending money in the city for winter supplies.

DUNCAN.

DUNCAN, Aug. 24.—Coroner Wellburn returned yesterday (Sunday) from Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring island, from holding an inquest on Charles Bird, a young man from Montreal, lately residing on Parker island. Deceased was missed on Thursday last, when he went out with his gun—a breech-loader with rebounding locks. His body was found on Friday afternoon by Dr. Redmond about 15 or 20 yards from Mr. John Tolson's house, lying on his back across a log, several feet above the ground, while the gun with the right barrel discharged was lying on the ground a few feet away. The gunshot had entered deceased's neck just below the chin, causing a fracture of the chin and of the vertebræ. The verdict returned by the jury was "accidental death from a gunshot wound."

Auditor-General J. McB. Smith arrived here from Nanaimo yesterday.

Archdeacon Scriven officiated yesterday at St. Peter's church, Quamichan.

ASHCROFT.

(From the B. C. Mining Journal.)

James Knight and party, of Lytton, recently made an important discovery of asbestos on a creek about fifty miles from there. The samples show an eight-inch length of fibre, and the discoverers say that the ledge, which is about three feet wide, is traceable for a long distance.

C. W. Burstal, a mining expert in the interest of the B. C. Prospecting Co. of London, England, has completed an examination of certain quartz properties on Siwash creek, already under bond for $25,000. There is, he says, a ledge of ore which is not quite free milling. He expects to spend a few weeks prospecting certain silver quartz property about sixteen miles from Ashcroft.

McNeill brothers and Foss, of Ashcroft, have started for Quesnelle, where they expect to winter and will visit Omineca in the spring.

Important change are to be made in the Underwood dredge which has been operating in the Quesnelle.

At the Cinnabar mine at Savona the diamond drill has penetrated a body of furnace ore grading 5 per cent. and 75 feet in width. There is at least one six inch streak that is very rich, 70 or 80 per cent. quicksilver. A furnace will be started within a month. As one-half of one per cent. ore situated favorably and in large quantities can be worked at a profit, the showing for the Savona mine is remarkably good.

REVELSTOKE.

(From the Kootenay Mail.)

J. D. Sibbald has brought in from the Glengarry some of the handsomest specimens ever seen in the shape of galena. The Glengarry is a true fissure with a ledge 15 feet wide, three of which is clean shipping ore assaying about 300 ounces to the ton.

The Kootenay Gold, Silver and Copper, and the Kootenay Consolidated, which have been operating on Sable creek, have now consolidated into the Consolidated Sable Creek Mining Company. So far, there is a crosscut on the ledge at a depth of 60 feet showing an ore body 25 feet wide. They now propose to run 150 to 200 feet on the vein, sinking a winze 150 feet and then crosscut.

Revelstoke was the scene of a sensation this week when the result of the assays made on some samples from the Ground Hog Basin were made known. Two samples out of four went $112 and $140 in gold, and the owner of the properties, J. W. Haskins, and the town generally, are highly elated. The ore body from which these samples came is immense, and a wonderful future for Big Bend quartz is in sight. Gus Lund is down from Ground Hog Basin, where he has been doing assessment work on the Ole Bull and C.O.D., belonging to himself. The Ole Bull lead is four feet wide and free gold may be seen in the rock in the cut with the naked eye. It is a magnificent property. The C.O.D. lead, which lies on the west of the Ole Bull, is about 13 inches wide and an open cut 12 feet deep shows the gold without a glass. There are three leads on the C.O.D. claim. The Big Bend Belle, owned by J. D. Graham, is the northerly extension of the Ole Bull, and the Golden Hill, belonging to C. B. Hume, lies to the south on the same lead.

GOLDEN.

(From the Golden Era.)

W. H. Lee, of Calgary, has made a strike about twelve miles west of Donald. Samples brought in average about $16 to the ton in gold. Donaldites are getting quite excited over the find and already nine other claims have been staked. Old miners say there is a possibility of good ore being found there. Mr. Lee will return in a few days with a force of men who will be at once put to work developing the claim.

FORT STEELE.

(From the Prospector.)

All that the Fort Steele district needs to develop her mineral resources is better facilities for the transportation of ore. If the powers that be will only look forward to the future possibilities of this district and spend a few thousand dollars in improving the Kootenay river to the international line "under the present tax on mineral" the government will find that its revenues from this district will be increased to a large extent. In 1895 there were two steamboats plying on the river, this year there were four, next year there is every possibility of at least six large steamboats transporting ore; it would be wise for the government to foster and help this growing commercial industry.

New strikes are reported in the vicinity of Wasa and Wolf creek; in this vicinity there are many rich mines carrying gold, silver, copper and lead.

Taken in time Hood's Sarsaparilla prevents serious illness by keeping the blood pure and all the organs in a healthy condition.

Mining Companies' office stationery a specialty at the COLONIST office. x

A New Combination.

As their name signifies, Laxa Liver Pills are a combination of laxative principles with the best liver medicines obtainable. They cure Sick Headache, Constipation, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia and all deranged conditions of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

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WANTS.

WANTED—Girl to do light housework. Address Mrs. Cook, Cowichan station. au23-2t

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 181 Fort street. au23-2t

YOUNG woman, experienced, wishes situation as general servant. Address A. Colonist office. au23-2t

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WANTED—A machinist at the Albion Iron Works. au19-tf

WANTED—Good general servant. Apply Mrs. G., this office. au18

WANTED—Old established wholesale house wants one or two honest and industrious representatives for this section. Can pay a hustler about $12 a week to start with. Drawer 29, Brantford, Ont. jy11

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FOR SALE—Best English made furniture, nearly new—Two bedroom suites in polished ash and walnut; drawing-room suite in walnut, and heavy oak dining-room table and chairs; also pony and new trap and harness. Apply H. C. Reid, H.M. Naval Yard, Esquimalt. au23-3t

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FOR SALE—Best Wellington coal, 2,000 lbs. $6.00; No. 1 cordwood per cord, $3.25; orders left at 25 Cormorant street; Telephone 536; weight guaranteed. J. E. Painter. au22-1m

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FOR SALE—4,000 shares in the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited), Gold, Cariboo. One-tenth interest in the Quesnelle Forks Canal and Hydraulic Mining Company (Limited), Gold, Cariboo. A two-storey house and lot No. 32, Toronto street, Victoria. An interest in the Bank of Montreal. Thos. C. Nuttall, Post Office Box 12, Victoria, B.C. au19-12t

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LOST OR FOUND.

LOST—A cockatoo. The finder will be rewarded by returning to J. J. Wood, hackman. au20-tf

LOST—At Oak Bay, Saturday evening, the cap of a "Search Light" bicycle lamp. Finder would confer a favor by leaving it at this office. au18

LOST—Lady's black silk umbrella, cherry handle, silver tag, initials E.M. Please return to Colonist office. au14

MISCELLANEOUS.

MUGWUMP MINE, ROSSLAND—This mine has made the best strike of the camp at its stage of development; and, from its location, it ought to turn out well. A few shares may be had at 10c. Geo. Shedden & Co., 16 Trounce avenue, agents of the Mugwump Gold Mining Co. Ltd. au22-2t

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L. P. FISHER, Newspaper Advertising Agent 21 Merchants' Exchange, San Francisco is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office. j-8

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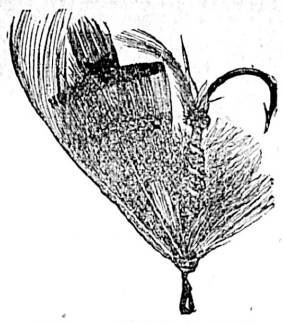
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No. 262.

A BY-LAW

REGULATING THE USE OF BICYCLES.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:

Sec 1. No person shall carelessly or negligently ride or drive a bicycle upon or along any public street or highway, or at a rate of speed faster than eight miles per hour over or upon any street crossing or intersection, nor at any time without having a warning bell or whistle which must be sounded while approaching and passing over a street crossing or intersection, or when approaching pedestrians who may be on or passing over the roadway of any street.

Sec. 2. No person shall ride or drive a bicycle upon or along the sidewalk of any public street or highway within the City.

Sec. 3. Any person riding or propelling a bicycle shall keep to the left of the centre of the road, and when passing any other bicycle or vehicle other than a tram-car, travelling in an opposite direction, shall pass to the left of such bicycle or vehicle.

Sec 4. Any person using or propelling a bicycle when overtaking any other bicycle or vehicle, other than a tram-car, travelling in the same direction, shall pass to the right of the bicycle or vehicle.

Sec. 5. Any person guilty of an infraction of any of the provisions of this by-law shall be liable for a first offence to a penalty not exceeding three dollars, and for every subsequent offence to a penalty not exceeding ten dollars.

Sec. 6. This by law may be cited as "The Bicycle Regulation By-Law, 1896."

Passed the Municipal Council the 9th day of July, 1896.

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Council on the 20th day of July, 1896.

Returned by the Mayor for reconsideration and amendment, and passed by the Council in an amended form the 10th day of August, 1896.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 10th day of August, A.D. 1896, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law, or any part thereof, quashed, must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
au8 C.M.C.

NOTICE.

Belleville Street, between McClure Street and Birdcage Walk, is closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
au3 City Engineer.

Board of Public School Trustees,
OF VICTORIA, B.C.

Notice is hereby given that all pupils attending the High School of the age of sixteen (16) years or over will be required to produce to the Principal of the High School a permit signed by the Secretary of the Board.

The above permit is obtainable at the office of the Secretary of the Board, 46 Fort street, Victoria, B.C.

Notice is also given that from and after Thursday, the 20th inst., no new pupils will be admitted during the present term to the primary or 8th Grade of the City Public Schools.

In accordance with Article 3, of the Rules and Regulations for the Government of Public Schools in British Columbia, the Public Schools of this city will reopen on Monday, the 10th August, 1896, at 9 a.m.

By order.
B. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.
Victoria, B.C., Aug. 5th, 1896. au6-tf

Re John W. Creighton,
Tailor and Clothier, 87½ Government Street.
Mortgagees having entered into possession on the 6th inst., discharges, on and after that date, in order to be valid, require to be signed by
au9-tf *GEO. SHEDDEN, Receiver.*

NOTICE
Is hereby given that A. B. Buie, of Lytton, has no longer any authority to sign my name or transact any business for me.
A. STEVENSON.
Lytton, July 11th, 1896. jy15-2m

SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

Tramp Steamer "Aggi" Arrives From Nagasaki to Load Wheat at San Francisco.

"Empress of Japan" Sails for the Orient—Chartered to Load Salmon.

The C.P.R. liner Empress of Japan reached Victoria last night from Vancouver at half-past ten, and after taking up a number of passengers and the mails sailed for the Orient. As usual she had a big cargo, and her passenger list was also quite extensive. In the cabin there were: A. L. Kohn, E. Kohn, Col. John Magee, Mrs. Magee, Mrs. Ellsworth, Mr. Ringe, E. Evans, Surgeon-Major Doyle, Mr. Yosbyn, Mr. Barese, Mr. Deacon, John S. Bradstreet and friend, Vincent Lawford, Com. Swinton Holland, R. J. Davis, Yee Chu Ta, Chong Hong How, Mr. H. C. Davies, Mrs. H. C. Davies, J. O. Davies, H. Davies, Rev. Henry Kingman, Mrs. Kingham and child, Mr. Taylor, Laura Hall, Bryan Lathrop, Mrs. Lathrop, Dr. Begg, Mrs. Begg, Miss Hancock, Mrs. W. P. Anderson, Miss Isabel Anderson, Miss J. Atkinson, Miss E. Hartnell, Miss W. Atkinson, Miss M. E. Calhoun, Miss M. E. Shockley, Miss E. M. Mitchell, Miss King, Miss Davis, Miss D. M. Down, Miss Coltman, Mrs. Smith, Rev. Mr. Shepherd, Miss Shepherd, Rev. A. C. Borden and Mrs. Borden, R. M. Harta and friend, Mrs. Soules Mr. Collier, Mr. Abraham, Mrs. Scott, Miss B. Scott, Miss M. Scott, Dr. Scott, H. Scott, H. Shoda, J. T. Hamilton, Miss Marjorie Holland, Master Cedric Holland, Miss Ventier, Mrs. Swinton Holland, Miss Joan Holland, Mr. Hancock, Mrs. Hancock, Capt. A. Leigh Smith, Louis Longin, Mrs. Goodrich and infant, Miss B. Goodrich, Miss G. Goodrich, J. M. Thussel, Rev. J. E. Pease, Rev. C. Goodrich, L. Pohl, W. G. Smith, Miss Gurrie, Miss G. Newton, Miss B. McCoy, Miss Bessie Alcorn, Miss J. Hargraves, Mr. and Mrs. Towell, Mr. Morse, Mr. Blackwell, Mr. Shortand. Rev. Mr. McVey, who embarked here, is a missionary, and is with his wife proceeding to Foo Choo to enter upon his duties. Other passengers from Victoria were T. M. Henderson, D. P. Thompson, Miss C. Kingsmill, Miss C. McCormick, Mrs. A. Graham, F. Holder, and A. Lugvil. Rev. A. C. Borden and Mrs. Borden, Miss Alcorn and Miss Hart are a party of Methodist missionaries from Nova Scotia who are on their way to Japan. Miss Hart has been there before, but the others are new to the work.

OF IMPORTANCE TO NAVIGATORS.

"From and after the 1st of September," says a just issued departmental notice, "a fog bell established by the government of Canada will be operated at the light station on Portlock point, Prevost island, Trincomalie channel, off the east coast of Vancouver island. The bell is suspended in a small wooden tower painted white (removed from Active Pass light station) located on a low point 900 feet southeast from the lighthouse. The bell will be struck by a hammer operated by machinery, and regulated to give one stroke every 15 seconds."

CHARTERED TO LOAD SALMON.

The British bark Snowdrop, Capt. McCafferty, 586 tons, has been chartered by Messrs. R. P. Rithet & Co. to load salmon for the old country. She is expected to arrive in port next month. Another salmon charter reported by the same firm is that of the bark Embleton, now at Tacoma discharging cement cargo.

THE "AGGI" ARRIVES.

The Norwegian steamer Aggi, 2,179 tons, Capt. Hatterberg, arrived in port yesterday in ballast from Nagasaki after a voyage of 21 days. She had orders awaiting her here to proceed at once to San Francisco to load wheat for Europe, she being the first of the fleet of tramp steamers referred to a few days ago as having replaced the sailers in the California wheat trade.

MARINE NOTES.

Here are the Victoria passengers by the Walla Walla, from San Francisco last evening: B. F. Groap, J. Hilbert, Miss Hilbert, F. Casey, P. Metcalfe, Mrs. Favart, Miss Favart, H. Braaslad, H. Kent, Master Kent, P. T. Patton, Mrs. Patton, Mrs. Urquhart, Miss Urquhart, Miss A. M. Carr, Mrs. W. J. Watson, Mrs. Harley, J. W. Church and wife, D. Whitney, Miss Pidgeon, Miss Robinson, L. E. Foster, Miss Elliott, Mrs. Farrar, Rev. Lorenzo Snow, wife and daughter, M. Silver. Rev. M. Salmon, and A. J. Lawton.

Following the Miike Maru to this port under the N.Y.K. flag are the Yamaguchi Maru, 3,033 tons; Kagosima Maru, 4,410 tons; and Kinshu Maru, 3,596 tons. These are only temporary liners, to hold the service until the palatial steamers now building for the company in Scotland are available for service.

Intending purchasers are reminded that plans drawn to a scale of the damage done to the bottom and inside of the Kilbrannan, made from the survey by the Albion Iron Works, can now be seen at the rooms of Mr. George Byrnes. The Kilbrannan will be sold at auction next Saturday.

A gang of men are hard at work on the steamer Flyer, repairing the damage inflicted by the steamer Utopia during the recent collision. The Flyer will resume her run on the Seattle-Tacoma route on Monday next.

The steamer Beechley, which has been loading at Hastings mill, cleared from Vancouver on Saturday night for Buenos Ayres with a cargo of 1,964,805 feet of rough lumber valued at $17,021.71.

The steamer Hupeh, chartered by the C.P.R. for one trip, was to leave Yokohama on August 15. She has full tea cargo and also a few Chinese passengers, which will necessitate a call here.

The little schooner Dolphin, of this city, will hereafter be known as the Hatzic, the department of marine having approved the change of name.

The City of Puebla sails for San Francisco to-day and the Alki for Alaska to-morrow. The latter on this occasion does not call at Victoria.

The Northern Pacific Steamship Co.'s steamer Tacoma arrived at Yokohama on August 18.

The Skidegate got in yesterday with a load of stone for the new post office building.

The Mischief, Captain Foot, left last night for Departure Bay for a cargo of coal.

The C.P.R. liner Empress of China left Yokohama on Saturday for Victoria.

The steamer Willapa is due from the far north to-morrow.

ENTERED.

Str. Charmer	from	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend
" Rosalie	"	" "
" Mystery	"	Vancouver.
" Skidegate	"	"
" R. P. Rithet	"	Westminster.
" Sadie	"	Darcey Island.
" Roche Harbor	"	Roche Harbor.
" Aggi	"	Nagasaki.
" Empress of Japan	"	Vancouver.

CLEARED.

Str. Charmer	for	Vancouver.
" City of Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Rosalie	"	" "
" Skidegate	"	Vancouver.
" R. P. Rithet	"	Westminster.
" Hope	"	Chemainus.
" Mischief	"	Departure Bay.
" Joan	"	Nanaimo.
" Aggi	"	San Francisco.
" Empress of Japan	"	Yokohama.

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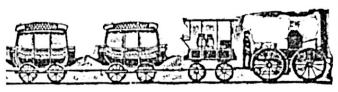

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JNO. ANNIN,
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UNPLEASANT RESULTS.

Mr. Laurier is already beginning to feel the consequences of his two-faced policy with respect to the Manitoba school question. The people of Ontario now see that he did not deal with them frankly in that matter, and the consequence is that the Controller of Customs, himself a most estimable man, finds it a matter of the greatest difficulty to get elected in an Ontario constituency. One of his strongest opponents in the North Grey campaign is the gentleman who was his most faithful ally during the general election. Mr. Clarke Wallace, perhaps more than any man in Ontario, contributed towards the late Liberal victory. But Mr. Wallace is disappointed. He sees that Mr. Laurier cannot be true to both his Ontario anti-coercionist supporters and his Quebec followers. If he follows the course which he led the anti-coercionists of Ontario and the other provinces to believe he would pursue he will break faith with the electors of Quebec, and if he keeps the promises which he made his Quebec supporters he will lose the respect and incur the enmity of large numbers who voted for his party in Ontario and other parts of the country.

The Premier's Quebec supporters are already reminding him in a very significant way of his ante-election pledges and of the promises which they were induced to make on the strength of those pledges. Mr. Choquette is one of the Quebec members who was elected because he promised the voters of his constituency that he and the party to which he belongs would restore to the Roman Catholic minority of Manitoba their schools. That gentleman, evidently not liking the appearance of things, has issued a manifesto in which he says:

"There are two questions which force themselves upon the attention of the public, and which will receive the special consideration of the Prime Minister and his colleagues. First, there is the settlement of the question of the schools in a manner efficient and practical, and on the basis of recognizing, and of making the local authorities of Manitoba recognize, the rights and privileges of which those authorities have despoiled our co-religionists in their province. During the last electoral fight all the Liberal candidates specially pledged themselves to effect a settlement, by means of conciliation if possible, and, if not, by a Federal law. Now that the fight has ended and that the Liberal party is in power, we hasten to declare that we have not forgotten the promises made during the fight, and we demand their execution. We know that the Liberals are men who will fulfil their obligations conscientiously; still we feel it to be our duty to call their attention to the facts in advance of the opening of the approaching sestion."

Mr. Choquette and those for whom he speaks are logical and honest. They promised that if the Liberals were returned to power they would recognize and would make "the local authorities of Manitoba recognize the rights and privileges of which those authorities have despoiled our co-religionists in their province." There is no misunderstanding this language. It is evident that Mr. Laurier's Quebec followers are bound to see that the Government shall restore separate schools to the Manitoba minority. Mr. Choquette does not talk about compromise, what he demands is that the minority be placed in exactly the same position as regards their schools as they occupied before the law of 1890 was enacted. The demand may be considered by the Government as ill-timed, and may be looked upon by the Prime Minister as exceedingly unpleasant; but what was he to expect? He must see that he could not make promises to the people of Quebec and prevail upon the Liberal candidates to repeat those promises without being required, when the election was over and he had attained his object, faithfully to perform their promises.

It may be said that the negotiations that have been going on with different members of the Manitoba Government are so many steps towards the performance of Mr. Laurier's promises. Mr. Choquette evidently does not think so, and there are many in different parts of Canada who look upon those "negotitions," as they are called, as attempts to bribe members of the Manitoba Government to agree to terms of settlement which will be regarded as satisfactory by those who have the fate of the Government in their hands. The bribe is without doubt a large one, nothing less than a seat in the Cabinet with a portfolio, but hitherto there has been a difficulty in the way of any member of the Government taking the bribe. Is the bargain not closed because it is feared or known that the people of Manitoba are not to be bought by a seat in the Cabinet? If the position of Minister of the Interior is not held out to Manitoba as a bribe, why has it not been filled long ago?

A GREAT STATESMAN.

As Li Hung Chang, the great Chinese Viceroy, is on his way to visit this part of the world, it may be well to be in a position to form something like a true estimate of the man and of the position he occupies in his own country. "It is one of our insular ways," says an accomplished Englishman, "to consider the rest of the world fools," and it is certainly hard for anyone who knows the low esteem in which Chinamen are held, and has seen how they are treated on this side of the continent, to realize that any man of the Chinese race can be truly great and worthy of white men's respect. On the Pacific Coast the Chinaman is perhaps not regarded as a fool, but he is looked upon by the bulk of the population as something a good deal worse.

A highly educated Englishman who lived a long time in China, and who was formerly Chinese correspondent of the Times, Mr. Michin, in the introductory paragraph of an article on Li Hung Chang, in the August number of the Nineteenth Century, says:

From every point of view the visit of such a personage as Li Hung Chang to Europe would be an interesting event. He is the first Chinaman of rank who has crossed the sea, except under compulsion, and he is the greatest man China is known to have produced in this century, which out of 300,000,000 is something. He is also the only Chinese statesman who has made any practical attempt to introduce the modern spirit into the policy of his country from a conviction that in that alone is salvation to be found. For thirty years he has been striving against overwhelming difficulties to put his country in a state of defence, as the condition precedent to all other reforms, and has thereby entitled himself to our sympathy. Lastly, Englishmen at least may remember that it is to Li Hung Chang they owe the discovery of General Gordon. But for the fortuitous contact of these two personalities at a critical period, perhaps neither of them would have gone down to history. The opportunity for Gordon to show his genius might never have occurred elsewhere, for he never would have sought it and would in all probability have passed his life in the obscurity of service routine, snubbed for his eccentricities by his superiors and loved by his intimates for the soul that was in him. On the other hand, but for Gordon and these same eccentricities of military genius, China might have been—who knows where?—without government, a scene of rapine on a titanic scale. Judging after the event it is easy to overlook the special merit of Li Hung Chang not so much in employing a foreign soldier—though that made an enormous breach in the wall of Chinese conservatism—but in cordial appreciation of and loyal co-operation with him which alone rendered his services effectual. It was a thoroughly un-Chinese proceeding, which it would have been well for China if it had been more consistently followed out in her recent history.

. . . . . By sheer force of circumstances Li Hung Chang has been the pivot on which the foreign relations of China have turned for thirty years—the indispensable man, who alone, if we except one member of the Foreign Board, who died many years ago, ever dared to deal with foreign questions in a business-like manner. And so he has come to personate China in the imagination of Europe and to be the best known man in that country—so well known, indeed, that his faults and failings have been photographed at close quarters and then enlarged, while his successes have been passed over as flat and uninteresting.

Li Hung Chang has been to China what Bismarck has been to Germany and Gladstone to Great Britain. If he has not been so successful as the two great European statesmen it may be that the difficulties he had to contend with were very much greater compared with the means at his command to overcome them. Besides, the fame of the Grand Old Man and the Man of Iron has been trumpetted from one end of the civilized world to the other, while very little indeed has been heard of the achievements of the Chinese statesman. It was only the other day, comparatively speaking, that his name was known to the newspaper readers of the civilized world. Mr. Michin says that:

"It must on the whole be conceded that Li Hung Chang would have well earned his eminent position did his merit extend no further than being a one-eyed man among the blind, a description that has sometimes been applied to him. He must be judged neither by the religious, political or social laws of foreign countries, but by his own surroundings, traditions and heredity. It has been the unique merit of Li Hung Chang to take a common sense view of things, to meet complaints half-way, to reserve suggestions with courtesy, and to set an example of conciliatory demeanor towards foreigners; in a word, to form in his own person a workable joint between the petrified ideas of Chinese polity and the requirements of modern Christendom. He has made himself accessible not only to foreign representatives, but to foreigners of every grade who could show a plausible pretext for occupying his time. His tolerance of irrelevant visitors has indeed been remarkable, but it was his only means of studying mankind and of learning something about foreign countries which fate seemed to veto his ever visiting."

But fate has at last been kind. The Chinese statesman has had the opportunity of visiting the most powerful and the most highly civilized nations of the world under very favorable circumstances. That he and his country will benefit by his visit to Europe and America there can be no doubt. It is a matter of regret that he could not have made the visit thirty years ago.

BACKED OUT.

As we expected the Vancouver World refuses to make good the statement which it defied us to dispute, "that there are in this province . . . prominent personages whose names and callings appear on the directorate of mining companies, for the privilege of which they have been allotted blocks of stock varying in value—on paper, of course—up to thousands, and for which not a solitary cent as consideration was paid." We did dispute the statement, stating our belief that it was false and slanderous. The excuse it makes for not confirming its statement is that it is not the business of a public journalist to give specific instances. If that is the case, why did it make the wholesale statements and challenge contradiction. Is it the business of a public journal to make general statements reflecting on the integrity of "personages" looked upon as highly respectable, thus libelling the whole community, and then when proof is demanded, to refuse to substantiate its libellous accusation? The World should not have published its statement unless it was positive that it was strictly true, and was prepared to prove it to be so. We repeat our conviction that the accusation is false; that there is not a particle of evidence to show that there is the slightest ground for making it.

THE OFFENCE AGGRAVATED.

We do not see that the Province mends matters when it pretends to correct one inexcusable misrepresentation to perpetrate another equally inexcusable. It accused the Hon. Mr. Turner, Premier of British Columbia, of using his official status to promote certain private enterprises. We stated that if it had taken the trouble to inquire it would have found that its statement was untrue, and intimated that its not making the inquiry was inexcusable. In its issue of the 22nd it noticed our correction and said pertly: "In our opinion the only inexcusable feature in the case is that the Hon. J. H. Turner permitted his name to appear in the advertising columns of the Toronto Globe, day after day, as one of the leading citizens of British Columbia, in whom the management and control of these mines was vested." This is indeed pettifogging journalism. The Province's second accusation is as false as its first. A little inquiry—inquiry which it was its duty to have made—would have shown it that Mr. Turner did not permit his name to be used in the advertisement that appeared in the Globe or in any other newspaper; that his name was used without his knowledge or consent. We find that the same liberty was taken with the names of other gentlemen in Ontario, who not only did not permit their names to be used, but who were annoyed and angry when they discovered that they had been represented as being concerned in the management of mines about which they knew little or nothing. The course pursued by the Province in this matter has been mean in the extreme.

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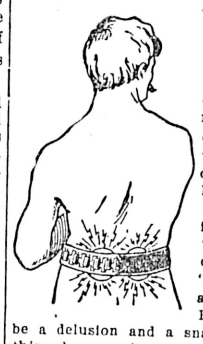

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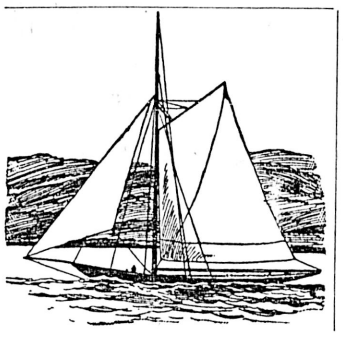

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THE CITY.

THE directors of the Jubilee hospi hold a general meeting on Friday eve ing of this week.

FOR very special reasons a full atten ance is requested at this evening's me ing of Colfax lodge, Daughters of R bekah.

AT the Manse, 248 Cook street, t Rev. Dr. Campbell last evening unit in marriage Mr. T. F. Munro and Mi Olivia L. Verge. The happy couple w make their home on McClure street.

THE members of the Natural Histo Society at their meeting last evening ha the pleasure of listening to the secon and concluding paper by Captain Wa bran on the voyage and discoveries Meares on the Northwest Pacific Coas

MAGISTRATE MACRAE has deferred se tence in the case of 12-year-old Georg Millet, who was last week convicted stealing money from his unhapp mother. The boy has promised to r form and he will be given anothe chance to demonstrate the sincerity his intentions.

ENTHUSIASM over the approaching en tertainment by Edouard Remenyi an his company is not confined to th musically educated public, but shared by many who are seldom inte ested in musical affairs, yet know tha for all—musicians and "unmusical"— a treat is forthcoming. Only deaf me can sit in front of Remenyi and not b moved by his marvelous talent.

THE headquarter companies of th Fifth Regiment will muster for ba talion drill on Thursday evening a usual. The last drill was very wel attended and the growing interes in the Vancouver trip promises still larger muster next Thursday After drill, No. 1 Company Association will hold a meeting to decide financia matters in connection with the review a Vancouver.

AT a meeting of the St. John's Guild held at the rectory yesterday, at which all the accounts in connection with the recent excursion were submitted, $150 was shown to have been realized clear of all expenses. Votes of thanks were passed to those gentlemen who assisted in making it a success, and to all who had contributed provisions. An important business meeting will be held at the rectory on Thursday evening at 8 p.m., when all are requested to be present.

THE committee who have the Victoria Labor Day celebration in hand had a meeting last night and are pushing arrangements ahead in lively fashion. At present things are looking very favorable for a successful outcome. The celebration will take place at the Caledonia park on Monday, September 7, when a first class programme of sports, games, races, etc., will be carried out and a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon spent by the workingmen of Victoria and their families. The band of the Fifth Regiment has been engaged, and a committee has been appointed to canvass for prizes from the merchants and others willing to contribute in this way to help make the affair a success. It is the intention, also, to hold a dance at the Caledonia grounds in the evening.

THE game season has opened well nearly every one of the numerous sportsmen who went into the surrounding districts since the shooting began returning with at least fair bags. The Futcher brothers who were out in the vicinity of Sooke brought in forty birds as the result of two days sport. It may be that the bush fires will drive the game away to a certain extent, but so far nearly everybody but the birds has had a good time. Of course trouble has already arisen through the ignorance of the more amateur hunters in natural history, not everyone who goes forth with a gun being able to discriminate between blue and willow grouse. As a result the guardians of the game law are kept busy, and the police court treasuries will be benefited. One ardent sportsman so far forgot himself Sunday as to shoot a pheasant, and this, too, within the city limits. He has in consequence received two blue papers.

A CHINAMAN was fined $5 and costs in the city police court yesterday for leaving a horse untied and unattended on one of the city streets. As a result of the Chinaman's neglect the horse destroyed a considerable extend of sidewalk.

THE West Wellington Coal Co., operating what was formerly known as the Jordan mine, resumed business yesterday and expect to have coal on the Victoria market before the close of the present week. Mr. E. H. Heaps, of Vancouver, is now acting as manager, while Mr. M. H. Cowan will represent the company in this city.

THE Fort Steele Prospector, which has for some time been published under considerable difficulties, with the assistance of a type-writer and a manifold process, has for the last two numbers come out in first class style, being clearly printed and admirably arranged with a first class dress of ordinary type. This enterprising paper is entitled to all possible support.

PROFESSOR FRANK MILLER, the balloonist and parachutist who has for weeks past been entertaining the residents and visitors of Seattle with his wonderful performances at Lake Washington, has been engaged for an ascension and drop at the Mount Baker hotel, Oak Bay, to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. As Victoria has not witnessed a balloon ascension for more than a decade it is certain there will be a very large crowd at the Bay to see Professor Miller's exhibition.

THE Cadet Templars of Temperance give an ice cream social this evening in Sir William Wallace hall, at which the programme will include drilling and music by the cadets. The objects of the organization are the advancement of temperance and purity, those eligible to membership being children from 5 to 16 years old. The Cadets started in this city a year ago and have become very prosperous. Meetings are held every Tuesday evening in Sir William Wallace hall at 6:30 p.m., when visitors are cordially welcome.

A VERY pleasant concert in aid of St. Luke's Sunday school was given at Cedar Hill last night, the programme being: Duet, "Music and her sister, Song," Mr. and Mrs. King; song, Mr. Johnson; recitation, Miss G. Pollock; song, "The Bedouin's love song," Mr. Bishop; violin solo, Mrs. Flinton; song, "All in a garden fair," Miss King; reading, Mr. Cogswell; song, Mrs. Giffin; recitation, Miss D. Mebius; and song, "Thy sentinel am I," Mr. Flinton. Refreshments were served during the evening and two delightful hours passed all too quickly for the audience, among whom were many from the city.

AN ORIGINAL kind of an excursion is to be given on Saturday for the purpose of assisting that worthy institution, the Protestant Orphans' Home. The steamer Joan has been kindly placed at the disposal of the orphanage committee free of charge by Messrs. Dunsmuir & Sons; the music, refreshments, advertising, in fact all the expenses have been given free, so that the entire proceeds will go to the Home without any deduction whatever. The tickets have been placed at fifty cents, which is surely a small sum for enjoying an entire afternoon's outing, with the additional satisfaction of knowing that the money goes every cent of it to help the little orphan children. The novel feature about the affair is that the destination of the steamer is to be a profound secret until after she leaves her dock. The Joan sails from the C. P. N. wharf at 2:30 sharp, Capt. Locke having sealed orders as to his destination. All that is known is that the steamer will be back at eight o'clock the same evening.

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From now on every week will add something new to our fall stock.
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CORNER GOVERNMENT AND JOHNSON STREETS.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

The Matter of Re-Division of the Wards Held Over for Further Discussion.

Bridge Aid Proposal Before the Government—Water Service Arrears—By-laws Advanced.

All the members except Ald. Williams were present at the regular meeting of the city council last evening, Mayor Beaven presiding.

A report from the police commissioners recommended that they be authorized to appoint a woman to act when necessary as female warder at the city gaol. The commissioners did not think it necessary to employ a matron permanently. The recommendation was referred to the finance committee.

A report from the water commissioner contained a list of persons resident outside the city limits who are in arrears for water service. This included about fifteen names, with arrears totalling $217 28, covering periods from one month to fourteen months. It was resolved that the water commissioner be instructed to take proceedings for collection from those in arrears for more than three months, and to shut off the water if necessary. Ald. Macmillan spoke several times on this subject, and during his concluding address it was necessary to wake a man in the audience who was snoring too loudly. "I am not surprised that there is a man asleep," remarked the Mayor.

Wm. Beaumont wrote from Duncan complaining that a man lately arrived from Washington had been put in charge of the agricultural grounds in his place, though upon temporarily removing to Duncan he had left the key with his wife and daughter living opposite to the grounds, and had shown them how to take care of them. It was resolved to notify Mr. Beaumont that his successor, Mr. Johnson, had been appointed on the supposition that the office was vacant.

The secretary of the Anti-Mongolian Society at Vancouver forwarded copies of their printed matter and stated that two delegates from Vancouver would probably attend the meeting here.

The city solicitor wrote suggesting a reference by consent to a judge of the Supreme court as sole arbitrator, in the matter of the land on Herald street in dispute between the city and the St. John's church. Ald. Partridge moved that this suggestion be acted upon, but only he and Ald. Wilson so voted, and the letter was filed.

The sanitary officer reported on the state of the Victoria Chemical Works, which he had visited on account of complaints made. He found that a few alterations at small expense, which the owners are quite willing to make, will likely remove the cause of complaint. The matter was left in the hands of the sanitary officer to deal with.

Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, representing the owners of the McTavish property, wrote complaining that the natural watercourse has been so obstructed that the water in winter is penned up on the property mentioned; and they invite the corporation to deal with the matter. Referred to the street committee and engineer.

The fire wardens reported in favor of providing an electric gong for fire alarm purposes in Victoria West. Adopted.

The following report was presented, signed by Ald. Tiarks and Williams:

VICTORIA, August 21, 1896.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your committee appointed in accordance with a resolution of the council as contained in a letter from the city clerk dated July 6, 1896, re receiving financial aid from the provincial government towards the construction of a steel bridge, have waited upon the provincial government and placed the question most carefully before them. Acting upon the suggestion of the government the committee beg to recommend that the question of financial aid be placed before the government in writing, having received the assurance of the Hon. the Provincial Secretary that the same will receive the careful consideration of the executive. That the city clerk be now instructed to place in the hands of the Hon. Col. Baker full information as to the desire of the council as expressed in the resolution dated 3rd July, 1896, "re steel bridge."

Ald. Macmillan contended that this was not a report from the committee because he had not gone with the other two members and did not know the time when they did go. Ald. Tiarks explained that when Ald. Macmillan was asked, as the member first named, to call the committee together he refused to do so or to go with them to interview the government. They had therefore gone without him, and their report was now presented; he did not think any one member should be permitted to block the proceedings of any committee. It was resolved that a copy of the resolution be forwarded to Hon. Col. Baker as recommended.

ALD. MARCHANT moved the resolution of which he had given notice calling for certain information with a view to a redivision of wards; explaining that at present the representation of the North Ward is altogether disproportionate to its large area and population. He wishes four wards, each returning two aldermen, in place of three wards returning three each as at present.

ALD. WILSON opposed the resolution, but would favor doing away with ward divisions altogether.

ALD. MACMILLAN endorsed Ald. Marchant's proposition only because there is no better one.

ALD. PARTRIDGE thought the city got along very well under the present plan, and as the hour was getting late he moved that the council adjourn.

This motion was lost on division, and one to adjourn the debate, moved by Ald. Cameron, was adopted.

The resolution of which Ald. Partridge had given notice, asking for information with respect to the waterworks contract, was adopted.

The market regulation by-law was reconsidered and finally passed.

The tramways regulation by-law was again taken up, the Mayor recommending that the words "and passengers" be struck out of the section requiring the company and its servants to obey the provisions of the by-law. It was reconsidered, adopted and finally passed.

The council, at 10:35 p.m., went into private session in the committee room to consider certain important business brought forward by the Mayor.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENT.

No. 263.

A BY-LAW

Respecting the Expenditure and Management of the Revenue and Money belonging to the Corporation.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria enacts as follows:—

Sec. 1. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay from time to time the amounts which become necessary for the services mentioned in the Statement lettered A in the schedule hereto annexed.

Sec. 2. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay from time to time such sums of money as are named as being payable to the representatives of the Corporation mentioned in the Statement lettered B in the schedule hereto annexed: Provided that the sums in each case so paid during the year do not exceed in the aggregate the total sums of money therein stated, and that the Auditor has certified to the correctness of the amount payable by initialing the total sum of the voucher.

Sec. 3. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay to each officer of the Corporation a sum of money not exceeding each month the sum mentioned as allowable to each said officer, as per detailed Statement lettered C, and votes numbered 58 to 61, inclusive, Statement J in the schedule hereto annexed: Provided that the sum paid for each month's service is not in excess of the monthly sum named in the said statements (unless the Council of the Corporation otherwise authorize) and provided that before making the payment the Auditor has certified to the correctness of the amount payable by initialing the total sum of the account.

Sec. 4. It shall be lawful to pay such sums of money as may be authorized from time to time by resolution of the Council of the Corporation as are set forth in recommended requisitions, and for which warrants have been authorized by the Council to be issued for the services mentioned in the Statements lettered D. E. F, H, and Votes numbered 37 to 49, both inclusive, and Votes numbered 53 to 55, both inclusive, in Statement lettered G, and Votes numbered 62 to 65, both inclusive, in Statement lettered J in the schedule hereto annexed: Provided that before making the payment the Auditor has certified to the correctness of the amount payable by initialing the total sum of the account, and that the Council has authorized the payment, and that the sums paid and authorized are not in each case in the aggregate in excess of the sums named in the above votes and statements.

Sec. 5. Notwithstanding anything contained in the preceding section of this by-law, it shall be lawful to make the following payments prior to obtaining the authority from the Council by resolution or by issuance of a warrant:—

(*a*). To any person who has been employed by order of or for the services connected with either Vote 19, Statement D, or Vote 36, Statement F, or Vote 61 or 61, Statement J, or whose services are payable out of any moneys obtained by issue of debentures for a special purpose, and who has been discharged, or who has left the employ of the Corporation: Provided that the Water Commissioner, or the foreman, has certified to the correctness of the payment on account of Vote numbered 19, Statement D, or that the

City Engineer has certified to the correctness of the payment on account of Vote numbered 36, Statement F, or the Sanitary Inspector has certified to the correctness of the payment on account of Votes numbered 61 or 64, Statement J, or the officer in charge of the works has certified to the correctness of the payment out of moneys obtained by the issue of debentures for a special purpose, and that the Auditor in each case has certified to the correctness of the amount payable by initialing the total sum of the account, but the Committee on Finance, if such exists, is to report all such payments as soon as possible thereafter to the Council.

Sec. 6. It shall be lawful for the Treasurer to pay such sums of money for the services named in Votes numbered 50 or 51, Statement G, as the Mayor may direct: Provided that the sums paid are not in the aggregate in excess of the sum hereby appropriated by the Council for the service, and the Auditor has marked his initials against the total amount of the voucher to certify to the same.

Sec. 7. All payments made out of the municipal revenue for the current year, or out of moneys obtained under authority of the "Annual Loan By-law, 1896," are hereby ratified and confirmed.

Sec. 8. The officer styled the Auditor, or the Treasurer, shall mean and include any person acting in either of those capacities, with the sanction and by the authority of the Municipal Council.

Sec. 9. This By-law may be cited as the "Expenditure By-law, 1896."

Passed the Municipal Council this 10th day of August, 1896.

Reconsidered, adopted, and finally passed by the Municipal Council this 13th day of August, 1896.

ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.

[L.S.]

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C.M.C.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURE.

SUMMARY OF THE ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1896.

Statement.	*Number.*	*Service.*	*Amount.*
A	I.	City Debt	$136,999 26
B	II.	Municipal Council	5,030 00
C	III.	Civic Salaries	64,368 52
D	IV.	City Institutions (Maintenance)	33,226 75
E	V.	Buildings and Surveys	2,350 00
F	VI.	Streets, Bridges and Sidewalks	27,500 00
G	VII.	Miscellaneous	22,000 00
H	VIII	Education	43,500 00
J	IX.	Board of Health	19,315 75
			$354,290 28

SCHEDULE.

ESTIMATE OF EXPENDITURE OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1896.

I.—CITY DEBT.

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT A.	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
1	Interest	$100,105 40	
2	Sinking Funds	36,393 86	
3	Brokerage and Exchange	500 00	
			$136,999 26

I.—CITY DEBT.

STATEMENT A. *Service.*		*Total.*
DETAILS.		
VOTE NO. 1.—INTEREST.		
Arrears from 1895	$ 780 00	
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan By-law, 1873, payable 1st April and 1st October, $92,500, at 7 per cent	6,475 00	
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan By-law, 1877, payable 2nd January and 2nd July, $20,000 at 8 per cent	1,600 00	
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan By-law, 1886, payable 1st April and 1st October, $75,000 at 5 per cent	3,750 00	
12 months' interest on $70,000 Water Works Loan By-law, 1889, payable 1st August, $70,000 at 5 per cent	3,500 00	
12 months' interest on $60,000 Water Works Loan By-law, 1889, payable 1st August, $60,000 at 5 per cent	3,000 00	
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan By-law, 1888, payable 25th February and 25th August, $20,000 at 5 per cent	1,000 00	
12 months' interest on Corporation Loan By-law, 1878, payable 20th June and 20th December, $20,000 at 7 per cent	1,400 00	
12 months' interest on Public Lighting By-law, 1885, payable 21st April and 21st October, $16,000 at 6 per cent	960 00	
12 months' interest on Drainage By-law, 1885, payable 21st April and 21st October, $5 000 at 6 per cent	300 00	
12 months' interest on Streets and Bridge Loan By-law, 1886, payable 1st April and 1st October, $50,000 at 5 per cent	2,500 00	
12 months' interest on Johnson Street Sewer By-law, 1888, payable 25th February and 25th August, $30,000 at 5 per cent	1,500 00	
12 months' interest on Streets, Bridges and Cemetery By-law, 1889, payable 28th June, $45,000 at 5 per cent	2,250 00	
12 months' interest on Pleasure Grounds Loan By-law, 1889, payable 1st August, $25,000 at 5 per cent	1,250 00	
12 months' interest on Fire Department By-law, 1889, payable 1st August, $15,000 at 5 per cent	750 00	
12 months' interest on City Hall Addition Loan By-law, 1890, payable 18th March $35,000 at 5 per cent	1,750 00	
12 months' interest on Cemetery Loan By-law, 1890, payable 18th March, $12,500 at 5 per cent	625 00	
12 months' interest on Flour Mill Bonus By-law, 1889, payable 1st January and 1st July, $10,000 at 5 per cent	500 00	
12 months' interest on Sewerage Loan By-law, 1890, payable 20th May and 20th November, £61,600 at 4 per cent.; £2,464 at $4.85 per £	11,950 40	
12 months' interest on Public Market Building By-law, 1890, payable 15th June and 15th December, £11,000 at 4½ per cent.; £495 at $4.85 per £	2,400 75	
12 months' interest on Public Market Site By-law, 1890, payable 15th June and 15th December, £9,000 at 4½ per cent.; £405 at $4.85 per £	1,964 25	
12 months' interest on Crematory Loan By-law, 1890, payable 24th December, $10,000 at 5 per cent	500 00	
12 months' interest on Agricultural Association Loan By-law, 1891, payable 23rd June and 23rd December, $25,000 at 5 per cent	1,250 00	
12 months' interest on loan under authority of the City of Victoria Act, 1892, payable 25th February and 25th August, $188,000 at 5 per cent	9,400 00	
12 months' interest on Street Loan By-law, 1892, payable 14th April and 14th October, $25,000 at 4½ per cent	1,125 00	
12 months' interest on Surface Drains By-law, 1893, payable 24th May and 24th November, $125,000 at 4½ per cent	5,625 00	
12 months' interest on Educational Loan By-law, 1893, payable 3rd January and 3rd July, $85,000 at 4½ per cent	3,825 00	
12 months' interest on Electric Lighting By-law, 1894, payable 1st May and 1st November, $55,000 at 4½ per cent	2,475 00	
12 months' interest on Sewerage Loan By-law, 1894, payable 1st August and 1st February, $100,000 at 4½ per cent	4,500 00	
12 months' interest on Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital Aid By-law, 1894, payable 1st August and 1st February, $35,000 at 4½ per cent	1,575 00	
12 months' interest on the Exhibition Loan By-law, 1894, payable 1st August and 1st February, $25,000 at 4½ per cent	1,125 00	
12 months' interest on Water Works Loan By-law, 1894, payable 1st April and 1st October, $150,000 at 4½ per cent	6,750 00	
Interest under Annual Loan By-law, 1896	2,750 00	
12 months' interest under guarantee Victoria and Sidney Railway, payable 1st March and 1st September, $300,000 at 3 per cent	9,000 00	
		100,105 40
VOTE NO. 2.—SINKING FUNDS.		
Annual payment Water Works Loan By law, 1873	3,335 00	
" " " " " " 1877	610 00	
" " " " " " 1886	1,557 00	
" " " " " " 1888	266 00	
" " " " " " 1889, $70,000	1,428 00	
" " " " " " 1889, $60,000	1,225 00	
" " Corporation Loan By-law, 1878	830 00	
" " Public Lighting By-law, 1885	596 00	
" " Drainage By-law, 1885	186 00	
" " Streets and Bridges Loan By-law, 1886	444 00	
" " Johnson Street Sewer Loan By-law, 1886	393 00	
" " Streets, Bridges, and Cemetery By-law, 1889	919 00	
" " Pleasure Grounds By-law, 1889	510 00	
" " Fire Department By-law, 1889	306 00	
" " City Hall Addition Loan By-law, 1890	735 67	
" " Cemetery Loan By-law, 1890	262 75	
" " Flour Mill Bonus By-law, 1889	371 78	
" " Sewerage Loan By-law, 1890	2,659 65	
" " Public Market Site By-law, 1890	398 90	
" " Public Market Building By-law, 1890	487 62	
" " Crematory By-law, 1890	210 11	
" " Agricultural Associaiton Loan By-law, 1891	686 00	
" " City of Victoria Act, 1892	4,515 00	
" " Streets Loan By-law, 1892	164 00	
" " Surface Drains By-law, 1893	820 00	
" " Educational Loan By-law, 1893	577 00	
" " Electric Lighting By-law, 1894	360 38	
" " Sewerage Loan By-law, 1894	656 09	
" " Prov. Royal Jubilee Hospital Aid By-law, 1894	230 00	
" " Exhibition Loan By-law, 1894	164 00	
" " Water Works Loan By-law, 1894	985 00	
Interest to accrue from investment of sinking funds	9,500 00	
		36,393 86
Carried forward		$36,393 86

I.—CITY DEBT.—STATEMENT A.—(*Concluded.*)

Brought forward		$36,393 86
VOTE NO. 3.—BROKERAGE AND EXCHANGE.		
Exchange and Brokerage on coupons payable abroad	500 00	
		500 00
Total		$ 136,999 26

II.—MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT B.	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
4	The Mayor	$1,700 00	
5	The Aldermen (9 at $370 each)	3,330 00	
			$5,030 00

III.—CIVIC SALARIES.

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT C.	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
6	Treasurer, City Clerk and Assessor	$8,907 25	
7	Water Works	4,873 75	
8	Public Works	4,794 87	
9	Cemetery	788 75	
10	Park	729 50	
11	Police	19,526 40	
12	Fire Department	12,500 50	
13	Library	720 25	
14	Pound	659 00	
15	Home for the Aged and Infirm	600 00	
16	Public Market	848 00	
17	Street Lighting	6,920 25	
18	Barrister and Solicitor	2,500 00	
			$64,368 52

III.—CIVIC SALARIES.

STATEMENT C. *Service.*	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
DETAILS.		
VOTE NO. 6.—TREASURER, CITY CLERK AND ASSESSOR.		
Treasurer's Office—		
Treasurer and Collector ... 12 months @ $150 00	$1,800 00	
Assistant Collector ... 2 " 83 25	166 50	
Do. ... 10 " 75 00	750 00	
Auditor ... 2 " 106 25	212 50	
Do. ... 10 " 80 00	800 00	
City Clerk's Office—		
City Clerk and Clk. of Cemetery Board . 2 months @ $127 50	255 00	
" " " " . 10 " 110 00	1,100 00	
Clerk ... 12 " 50 00	600 00	
Assessor's Office—		
Assessor, Building Inspector, Supt. of Public Works and Purchasing Agent 2 months @ $127 50	255 00	
Do. do. " 10 " 110 00	1,100 00	
Assistant Assessor ... 2 " 74 00	148 00	
Do. ... 10 " 65 00	650 00	
Janitor ... 2 " 60 12½	120 25	
Do ... 10 " 60 00	600 00	
Temporary assistance in all departments	350 00	
		$8,907 25
VOTE NO. 7.—WATER WORKS.		
Water Works Commissioner ... 2 months at $ 23 75	47 50	
Do. " ... 10 " 35 00	350 00	
Foreman ... 2 " 92 50	185 00	
Do. ... 10 " 90 00	900 00	
Collector of Water Rates ... 2 " 106 25	212 50	
Do. do. ... 10 " 90 00	900 00	
Assistant do. ... 2 " 69 37½	138 75	
Do. do. ... 10 " 70 00	700 00	
Watchman and Caretaker at dam ... 12 " 60 00	720 00	
Engineer at pump ... 12 " 60 00	720 00	
		4,873 75
VOTE NO. 8.—PUBLIC WORKS.		
City Engineer and Surveyor ... 2 months @ $175 00	350 00	
Do. do. ... 10 " 150 00	1,500 00	
Street Superintendent ... 2 " 100 00	200 00	
Do. ... 10 " 90 00	900 00	
Clerk ... 2 " 83 25	166 50	
Do. ... 10 " 75 00	750 00	
Carpenter ... 3 " 69 37½	208 12	
Teamster ... 2 " 60 12½	120 25	
Do. ... 10 " 60 00	600 00	
		4,794 87
VOTE NO. 9.—CEMETERY.		
Keeper ... 2 months @ $ 69 37½	138 75	
Do. ... 10 " 65 00	650 00	
		788 75
VOTE NO. 10.—PARK.		
Park Keeper ... 2 months @ $ 64 75	129 50	
Do. ... 10 " 60 00	600 00	
		729 50
VOTE NO. 11.—POLICE.		
Police Magistrate ... 12 months @ $200 00	2,400 00	
Clerk of Police Court ... 12 " 60 00	720 00	
Chief of Police ... 2 " 127 50	255 00	
Do. ... 10 " 100 00	1,000 00	
1st. Sergeant ... 2 " 92 50	185 00	
Do. ... 10 " 80 00	800 00	
2nd. Sergeant ... 2 " 83 25	166 50	
Do. ... 10 " 80 00	800 00	
15 Constables each ... 2 " 69 35	2,080 50	
Do. ... 10 " 62 50	9,375 00	
1 Constable ... 2 " 64 75	129 50	
Do. ... 10 " 62 50	625 00	
1 Constable ... 2 " 60 10	120 20	
Do. ... 6 " 57 50	345 00	
Do. ... 4 " 62 50	250 00	
1 Constable ... 2 " 60 10	120 20	
Do. ... 1 " 52 50	52 50	
Special Constables	100 00	
		19,526 40
VOTE NO. 12.—FIRE DEPARTMENT.		
Chief Engineer ... 2 months @ $110 00	$ 220 00	
Do. ... 10 " 100 00	1,000 00	
Assistant Engineer ... 2 " 30 00	60 00	
Do. ... 10 " 25 00	250 00	
Engineer No. 1 ... 2 " 74 00	148 00	
Do. ... 10 " 70 00	700 00	
Engineer No. 2 ... 2 " 74 00	148 00	
Do. ... 10 " 70 00	700 00	
Engineer No. 3 ... 12 " 60 00	720 00	
Driver No. 1 ... 2 " 64 75	129 50	
Do. ... 10 " 60 00	600 00	
Driver No. 2 ... 2 " 64 75	129 50	
Do. ... 10 " 60 00	600 00	
Driver No. 3 ... 2 " 64 75	129 50	
Do. ... 10 " 60 00	600 00	
Driver No. 4 ... 12 " 60 00	720 00	
Hoseman, James Bay ... 12 " 60 00	720 00	
Tillerman ... 12 " 60 00	720 00	
3 Foremen each ... 2 " 25 00	150 00	
Do. ... 10 " 20 00	600 00	
16 Firemen, each ... 12 " 18 00	3,456 00	
		12,500 50
VOTE NO. 13.—LIBRARY.		
Librarian ... 2 months @ $ 60 12½	$120 25	
Do. ... 10 " 60 00	600 00	
		720 25
VOTE NO. 14.—POUND.		
Keeper ... 4 months @ $ 64 75	$259 00	
Do. ... 8 " 50 00	400 00	
		659 00
VOTE NO. 15—HOME FOR AGED AND INFIRM.		
Manager ... 12 months @ $ 50 00	$600 00	
		600 00
VOTE NO. 16.—PUBLIC MARKET.		
Superintendent ... 2 months @ $ 74 00	$148 00	
Do. ... 10 " 70 00	700 00	
		848 00
VOTE NO. 17.—STREET LIGHTING.		
Superintendent ... 2 months @ $125 00	$ 250 00	
" ... 10 " 100 00	1,000 00	
Engineer ... 2 " 83 25	166 50	
" ... 10 " 80 00	800 00	
Dynamo Tender ... 2 " 83 25	166 50	
" ... 10 " 75 00	750 00	
Fireman ... 12 " 60 00	720 00	
Lamp Trimmer ... 2 " 78 62½	157 25	
" ... 10 " 75 00	750 00	
3 Lamp Trimmers (each) ... 12 " 60 00	2,160 00	
		6,920 25
VOTE NO. 18.—BARRISTER AND SOLICITOR.		
City Barrister ... 12 months @ $ 83 33⅓	$1,000 00	
City Solicitor ... 12 " 125 00	1,500 00	
		2,500 00
Total		$64,368 52

IV.—CITY INSTITUTIONS (MAINTENANCE).

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT D.	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
19	Water Works	$10,000 00	
20	Cemetery	300 00	
21	Pound	100 00	
22	Park	500 00	
23	Police	5,500 00	
24	Fire Department	5,893 00	
25	Library	479 75	
26	Street Lighting	6,000 00	
27	Home for the Aged and Infirm	3,554 00	
28	Public Market	300 00	
29	Sewerage	600 00	
			$33,226 75

IV.—CITY INSTITUTIONS (MAINTENANCE).

STATEMENT D. *Service.*	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
DETAILS.		
VOTE NO. 19.—WATER WORKS.		
For all purposes of maintenance and conection		$10,000 00
VOTE NO. 20.—CEMETERY.		
For all purposes		300 00
VOTE NO. 21.—POUND.		
For all purposes		100 00
VOTE NO. 22.—PARK.		
For all purposes		500 00
VOTE NO. 23.—POLICE.		
Clothing	1,300 00	
Keep of prisoners	3,000 00	
Inquests, funerals and lunatics	700 00	
Interpreters	150 00	
Hack and express hire	150 00	
Sundries	200 00	
		5,500 00
VOTE NO. 24.—FIRE DEPARTMENT.		
Feed for horses	1,500 00	
Repairs to apparatus	400 00	
Horse shoeing	350 00	
Hardware, oil, &c.	400 00	
Fuel	400 00	
Medical attendance, horses	180 00	
Furniture, bedding, &c.	100 00	
Harness and clothing	350 00	
Supplies for chemical engine	250 00	
Hydrants, Victoria West, rent	400 00	
Fire alarm system, maintenance	400 00	
New hydrants	250 00	
Couplings, gongs, &c.	100 00	
Tubes for Engine "John Grant"	300 00	
New wheels for hose carriage	268 00	
Exchange of horse	50 00	
Sundries	200 00	
		5,893 00
VOTE NO. 25.—LIBRARY.		
For all purposes		479 75
VOTE NO. 26.—STREET LITING.		
For all purposes		6,000 00
VOTE NO. 27.—HOME FOR AGED INFIRM.		
Fuel	250 00	
Provisions	2,500 00	
Clothing	250 00	
Furniture	250 00	
Rent of cottage	104 00	
Medicine	100 00	
Sundries	100 00	
		3,554 00
VOTE NO. 28.—PUBLIC MRKET.		
For all purposes		300 00
VOTE NO. 29.—SEWERE.		
For all purposes		600 00
To		$33,226 75

V.—BUILDING AND SURVEYS.

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT *Service.*	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
	DETAILS.		
30	City Hall repairs	$600 00	
31	Market property	200 00	
32	Fire Halls	350 00	
33	Furniture	150 00	
34	Electric Light Building	850 00	
35	Agricultural Association building and grounds	200 00	
			2,350 00

VI.—STREETS, BIDGES AND SIDEWALKS.

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT *Service.*	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
36	For all purposes	$27,500 00	
			$27,500 00

VII.—MCELLANEOUS.

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT *Service.*	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
	DETAILS		
37	Election expenses	$ 500 00	
38	Advertising and printing expens.	4,000 00	
39	Stationery	750 00	
40	Postage	350 00	
41	Telegrams and messenger service	100 00	
42	Telephone service	1,400 00	
43	Fuel and light	2,250 00	
44	Hack and express hire	200 00	
45	Fire insurance	1,350 00	
46	Legal expenses	250 00	
47	Celebration of the Queen's Birthy	1,000 00	
48	Refunds	300 00	
49	Commission on revenue collectio	800 00	
50	Charitable aid fund	1,000 00	
51	Secret service	250 00	
53	For aged and infirm women	500 00	
54	Point Ellice Bridge accident	5,000 00	
55	Miscellaneous not detailed	2,000 00	
			$22,000 00

VIII.—EDUCATION.

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT *Service.*	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
56	Board of School Trustees	$ 8,480 00	
57	Teachers' salaries	35,020 00	
			$43,500 00

IX.—BOAD OF HEALTH.

No. of Vote.	STATEMENT. *Service.*	*Estimated for Service ending 31st Dec., 1896.*	*Total.*
	Salaries:—		
58	Medical Health Officer. 2 months at $ 92 50, $185 00		
	" " . 10 " 92 00, 920 00		
59	Plumbing Inspector. 3 " 106 25, 318 75		
	" . 8 18-30 " 70 00, 602 00		
60	Sanitary Inspector . 3 12-30 " 45 00, 153 00		
	" . 8 18-30 " 70 00, 602 00		
61	Caretaker Isola'n Hosp. 12 " 45 00, 540 00	$3,320 75	
62	Removal of garbage	4,745 00	
63	Darcy Island Station	1,250 00	
64	For all other Board of Health puoses	5,000 00	
65	Grant in aid Provincial Royal Julee Hospital	5,000 00	
			$19,315 75

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MIDSUMMER SPORT.

Victoria's Cricketers Defeat Nanaimo in a First Innings—Cyclist McIntosh Comes West.

Wren Defeats Larned for the Tennis Championship—Dow and Essary in a Mix.

On Saturday last the Victoria Cricket Club journeyed to Nanaimo to play off their return match. On arrival the Victorians were met and escorted to the Hotel Wilson, where Host Raymond (an old cricketer) had prepared a most inviting lunch. No time was lost in getting to the grounds, where a good turf wicket had been prepared. The Nanaimos are fortunate indeed in having so generous a patron as Mr. Robins—who was a spectator throughout the game, and is the donor of their fine ground, which has not its equal in this province. The arena of play is an ideal cricket ground, being very level and well covered with green grass, showing that it is well cared for and there is no excuse for bad fielding.

Hon. Mr. Pooley having won the toss elected to bat, with Smith as partner; Hilton and Quine shared the attack on behalf of Nanaimo. Only 8 runs had been scored when Smith hit across a straight ball from Hilton and paid the penalty. Morley followed in only to see Mr. Pooley splendidly caught by W. Hodgson off a hard drive. Upon Lobb joining Morley matters improved, these two carrying the score to 27, when Hodgson again made a fine catch dismissing Lobb for 9 when he appeared to be well set. From this point a rot set in, the next 6 wickets falling for 19 runs, the board then reading 9 for 26. Only having ten men, Owen kindly filled the vacancy, and a valuable addition he proved to be, keeping his end up by careful cricket, while Morley commenced to force the game. They were not separated until 73 runs had been added, when Morley was stumped by Bamford for a splendid innings of 66, Owen being not out for a well played 21 and the innings closing for 119. Morley thoroughly deserved the ovation he received from the spectators and players alike, as going in first wicket down he was last out, and helped to put on 111 runs.

Nanaimo's first representatives were Calverly and Gillard, the attack being in charge of Gooch and Lobb, both left hand bowlers. Twenty-five runs were quickly scored, when Mr. Pooley decided a change was necessary, Lobb giving way in favor of Morley, who immediately bowled Gillard with his first ball, the second proving fatal to Hodgson, and the first of his third over being too much for Calverly. Hilton and Quine made things lively for a time and it looked anybody's game. But again Morley came to the rescue, getting Hilton caught at the wicket, Smith making a smart catch. Hickman followed in and returned the first ball to Frost, who held it safely. Webster fell to a tame stroke, being caught and bowled, and Bamford was finely caught by Lobb at point. Green was unfortunately run out and this proved to be Nanaimo's last chance, Dixon failing to score and Quine, who had played good cricket for 23, being bowled by a fine ball from Lobb. The innings closed for 81, leaving Victoria with a majority of 38 runs.

Morley's performance with the ball, together with his batting, prove him to be a sterling player, his analysis reading: 11 overs, 3 maidens, 6 wickets for 22 runs. Hilton did best for Nanaimo, having 6 wickets for 39 to his credit, and Quine 3 for 33.

Going in a second time Owens and Smith put on 45 runs for the first wicket, Frost being the only other player to reach double figures with 10. Time was called, 8 wickets being down for 82 runs, thus leaving Victoria winners of a most enjoyable game by 38 runs in the first innings. The scores follow:

VICTORIA.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
C. E. Pooley, c W. Hodgson, b Quine	5		
A. G. Smith, b Hilton	3	not out	23
S. F. Morley, st Bamford, b J. Hogdson	66	not out	4
W. A. Lobb, c Hodgson, b Hilton	9	c and b Quine	0
W. Gooch b Hilton	3	b Quine	8
C. Frost, b Hilton	0	c and b Hodgson	10
F. W. Thomas, b Hilton	3	c W. Hodgson, b J. Hodgson	4
T. Pooley, c Calverly, b Hilton	1	c Webster, b Hodgson	1
E. C. Arden, l b w, b Quine	1	b Hodgson	2
A. Averoggs, b Quine	0	not out	3
A. F. Owen, not out	21	b Hodgson	26
Byes, etc	7	Byes	1
Total	119	Total	82

NANAIMO.

R. Gillard, b Morley	10
J. Calverly, b Morley	17
J. Hodgson, b Morley	0
H. Hilton, c Smith, b Morley	8
H. Hickman, c and b Frost	0
J. Quine, b Lobb	23
S. Webster, c and b Morley	5
C. Bamford, c Lobb, b Morley	3
W. Green, run out	7
J. Dixon, b Frost	0
W. Hodgson, not out	4
Byes, etc	4
Total	81

THE TURF.

RECORD BREAKING AT RIGBY.

RIGBY PARK, Me., Aug. 24.—The famous pacing stallion Joe Patchen lowered the world's stallion pacing record by one-quarter of a second, going the mile in 2:03 flat, at Rigby track to-day. Two of the judges' watches showed the time to be one-fifth of a second less than 2:03. The wind was very unfavorable, which makes the performance even more creditable.

THE CARNIVAL MEETING.

The secretary of the Vancouver Jockey Club has completed the programme for the two day meeting which is to form part of the carnival programme, the events being as hereunder. It is expected that Victoria will be represented by a long string of good horses:

Tuesday, September 1—3:00 trot or pace, purse $150; ⅝-dash, running, $150; 2:33 trot or pace, $150; one mile selling race, $150; pony handicap, $75.

Wednesday, September 2—½ mile and repeat, $150; free-for-all trot or pace, $200; ¾-mile dash, $160; ½-mile welter race, $150; 1½-mile consolidation novelty, $150.

THE WHEEL.

HE MAY RIDE AT VANCOUVER.

A dispatch from Winnipeg announces that Will McIntosh, the Brantford professional, passed through the Manitoba capital on Sunday en route to the Coast. He is said to be on a pleasure trip, but the expectation is that he will ride in the professional events at the championship meet, which is to form a strong feature of the Vancouver carnival. McIntosh has been doing but little racing since the big meet at Quebec, when he secured second place in the professional open mile and third in the mile championship. His strength is in short distances.

ARRANGEMENTS COMPLETED.

At a meeting of the Y.W.C. directors last evening arrangements were completed in connection with next Saturday's meet at Oak Bay park. The presence of crack riders from Oregon and Washington will ensure fast races and cycling enthusiasts will no doubt avail themselves of the opportunity to witness these, the last races here of the season. The circuit of which they are part opened yesterday at Walla Walla; to-day and to-morrow the Spokane wheel club are celebrating; and from there the riders come direct to Victoria. The officers in charge are engaging a fast Spokane amateur team to pace all the amateur races, and incidentally an attempt will be made to lower the track and provincial record.

A LABOR DAY ATTRACTION.

Following the championship race meet at Vancouver on the 5th of September, the Queen City Cycle Club of Seattle will celebrate Labor Day—the the Monday following—with an afternoon and evening meet at the Y.M.C.A. park. The amateur prizes are announced as better than any heretofore offered in the Sound country, while for the "pros" there is $131 cash. The amateur events include one mile, novice; quarter-mile, open; one mile, 2:40 class; half-mile, open; two-mile, handicap; one mile, open; and five-mile, handicap. The professional races are all open—a half-mile, one mile and two miles, with an exhibition quarter against time. Entries close on the 1st proximo to Meet Secretary C. H. Teaff; the forms may be obtained from the sporting editor of the COLONIST.

BAD MIX-UP AT SEATTLE.

While trying for a half mile record on the Y.M.C.A. track at Seattle Saturday, paced by Charles Bullock and Joe Feek on tandem, Chris. Dow and J. A. Essary were, with the pacers, the victims of a serious accident. The cause was the breaking of the front forks of the tandem, just as the first quarter had been completed in :29½. The momentum of the terrific pace resulted in the tandem team being plunged forward more than fifty feet, and the spilling over them of the following sprinters. Bullock's arm and shoulder were fearfully torn and mangled and the cinders from the path were ground into the cuts and bruises, making the wounds very painful. Feek was badly broken up and bruised, but his injuries were not such as to render him helpless. Dow and Essary were dragged out of the wreckage to find themselves scratched and bleeding in a dozen places. Not a single bike escaped, and of the tandem not a portion remained whole except the rear wheel and connections.

LAWN TENNIS.

WRENN WINS THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

At Newport yesterday the finals in the great All-comers' match for the national championship were contested between W. A. Larned and R. D. Wrenn, the latter California's greatest contribution to the tennis world. The play was very even throughout, but Wrenn's superior steadiness won him the day, the final score being: 4-6, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, 6-3. Wrenn is now entitled to meet Hovey for the challenge trophy. To-day the great international tournament opens at Niagara-on-the-Lake, it being expected that Hovey, Wrenn and Larned will all meet there in the open events. Foulkes, of Victoria, will also be on hand to try his luck with these masters of the game.

LACROSSE.

BUTCHERING THE NATIONAL GAME.

The playing in the intermediate championship match between Vancouver and Westminster, at Brockton point, on Saturday last, was at times execrable. There were but few brilliant plays to relieve the monotony of the game, McQuarry, for Westminster, and Harvey Scurry, for Vancouver, playing faultless games, and Summers, in goal for the home team, showing splendid form. The game resulted in a win for Vancouver by 3 games to 2.

THE GAME IN THE EAST.

TORONTO, Ont., Aug. 24.—The Tecumsehs defeated La Nationals, of Montreal, on Saturday, five games to three. The Montreal Shamrocks defeated the Cornwalls, four to one.

HERE AND THERE.

RANDOM NOTES OF ALL SPORTS.

The Winnipeg senior four-oared crew was given a rousing welcome home yesterday on their return from Saratoga, where they won the international championship.

The report is current that Winnipeg's cricketers will after all be unable to attend the Vancouver carnival, and that the fine cricketing series arranged will in consequence have to be abandoned.

The summer residents at Foul Bay had a little regatta of their own on Saturday afternoon, the events including skiff, canoe and upset races, in which the young people took part with great zest. In the evening the prizes were presented to the victors by Mrs. Earle and a jolly time was spent at Mr. McCandless' house, which was prettily illuminated in honor of the occasion with Chinese lanterns.

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Assessment Act.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that all taxes due to the Government of British Columbia up to the 31st of December, 1895, payable at my office, which remain unpaid on the 1st day of October, 1896, will be collected forthwith with costs, according to law.

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Assessor and Collector.

August, 1896. au18

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
15th August, 1896.

HIS HONOUR the Administrator of the Government of British Columbia has been pleased to appoint:

MARSHAL BRAY, of Nanaimo, Esquire, Government Agent, to be Gold Commissioner for that portion of Vancouver Island described as follows:—

Commencing at the north-east corner of Chemainus District; thence due west to the Alberni Mining Recording District; thence northwesterly on a right line to Cape Scott; thence following the meanderings of the East Coast of Vancouver Island to the place of commencement, excluding all that portion of the Alberni Mining Recording District embraced therein. And also for all the islands lying between the said portion of the East Coast of Vancouver Island and the Mainland of the Province, including Texada Island, but not including the islands in the New Westminster Mining Recording District. au21-lw-d&s-w

Land Registry Act

Lot 305, Victoria City.

Notice is hereby given that a certificate of Indefeasible Title to lot 305, Victoria City, will be issued to Alexander Roland Milne on the 1st day of September, 1896, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me, in writing, by some person claiming an estate or interest therein or in part thereof.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Deputy Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, B.C.
27th May, 1896. my28-3m

Public Notice.

Owing to the necessity which has arisen for making certain repairs at the City Electric Light Station, the street lighting service will be discontinued from and after Monday next, 20th inst., until said repairs have been completed.

By order.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER.
C.M.C.

City Clerk's Office, July 18, 1896. jy19

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Dominion Parliament at its next sitting for a private bill to incorporate a Company for the purpose of constructing, equipping, maintaining and operating a railway from a point on the south boundary line of British Columbia, between the 134th and 136th degrees of Longitude, at the head of Lynn Canal, and thence northerly and westerly by the most feasible route to the north boundary line of British Columbia, with power to construct, maintain, and operate branch lines and all necessary bridges, ferries, and wharves, and to construct, own, and operate telegraph and telephone lines in connection with the said railway and branches, and to build, own, and operate steam and other vessels, to take and use water for generating electricity and other purposes, and to acquire foreshore rights and lands for the right of way, station grounds, and other necessities, and to acquire lands and other bonuses or aids from the Government of Canada and British Columbia, or from any municipality, corporation or person, to aid in the construction of the said railway, and make traffic and other arrangements with other railway companies or persons, and for all other usual and necessary powers and privileges, and also for power to levy a royalty on all precious metals passing outwards over the said road when constructed.

Dated at the City of Victoria, British Columbia, this 19th day of August, 1896.

DRAKE JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Solicitors for Applicants.

Victoria, B. C. au23

NOTICE is hereby given that one month after the first publication of this notice in the Canada Gazette, application will be made by the Corporation of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, under the provisions of the "act respecting certain works constructed in or over navigable waters," Revised Statutes of Canada, Chapter 92, to His Excellency the Governor-General in Council, for approval of the plans for two wooden pile bridges, one (now partially constructed) for ordinary vehicular and pedestrian traffic, and the other for tramway traffic only, both to be constructed across the waters of Victoria Arm, Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, from Work street, Victoria aforesaid, to the Indian Reservation, and on or near the site of the Point Ellice bridge that collapsed on the 26th May, 1896; the plans of which proposed bridges and a description of the proposed site thereof are deposited with the Minister of Public Works and a duplicate of each are deposited at the office, in Victoria aforesaid, of the Registrar-General of Deeds for the Province of British Columbia.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 4th day of August, 1896.

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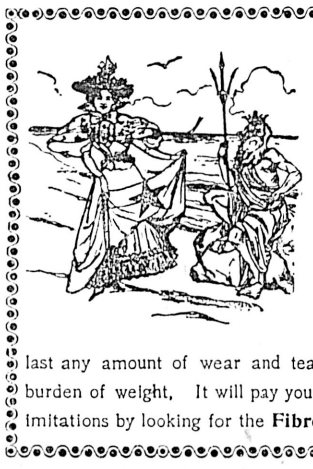

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To take effect at 8 a.m on Saturday, March 21 1896. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING NORTH.

	Daily	Sat. & Sun.
Lv. Victoria for Nanaimo and Wellington	A.M. 8:00	P.M. 4:00
Ar. Nanaimo	11:35	7:25
Ar. Wellington	12:00	7:45

GOING SOUTH.

	Daily	Sat. & Sun.
Lv. Wellington for Victoria	A.M. 8:20	P.M. 4:15
Lv. Nanaimo for Victoria	8:45	4:33
Ar. Victoria	12:20	8:00

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Aug. 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30. Sept. 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29.	Aug. 8, 13, 18, 23, 28. Sept. 2, 7, 12, 17, 22, 27. Oct'r 2.

Leave San Francisco for Victoria, B.C., 9 a.m	Due at Victoria, B.C., a.m.
Aug. 2, 7, 12, 17, 22, 27. Sept. 1, 6, 11, 16, 21, 26.	Aug. 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30. Sept 4, 9, 14, 19, 24, 29.

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Victoria for Alaska.	Due Back.
Aug. 15, 30. Sept 14, 29.	Aug. 27. Sep. 11-26, Oc. 11

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4:45 am	110	Ar	Tacoma	*Lv M	8:00 am

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Agent, Victoria, B.C.

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TO TACOMA 3.00

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C. P. Navigation Co., Ld.

TIME TABLE No. 27.

Takes effect June 21st, 1895.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday at 13:15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C.P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.

For Plumper Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13:15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Pender and Moresby Islands—Thursday at o'clock.

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Company will leave for Fort Simpson and intermediate ports, via Vancouver, the 1st and 15th of each month at 8 o'clock. When sufficient inducements offer, will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month.

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" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
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Victoria, B. C., 14th July, 1896.

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ESQUIMALT STATION, Aug. 23, 1896.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a.m..	56·	Mean 66·	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a.m..	52·		
9 a.m..	63·	Highest 73·	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p.m..	72·		1 p.m.—4 N.E.
5 p.m..	70·	Lowest 51·	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p.m..	58·		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Dense fog and smoke.

Sun.—5 hr. 30 min.

Barometer 9 a. m.... {Observed .... 30 080 {Reduced..... 30.028

ESQUIMALT STATION, Aug. 24, 1896.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a.m..	54·	Mean 59.	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a.m..	50·		
9 a.m..	61·	Highest 70·	5 p.m.—Calm.
1 p.m..	69.		1 p.m.—4 E.
5 p.m..	62·	Lowest 50·	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p.m..	56·		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Dense fog and smoke.

Sunshine—4 hr. 42 min.

Barometer 9 a.m... {Observed .....30.110 {Reduced 30.058

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—H Medilaugh, Mrs Medilaugh, S P Mills, Mrs Mills, Mrs Preout, T Holden, H P Johnson, Mrs Johnson, W P McVey, Mrs McVey, J Griffith, J Dorsey, W Prosser, J A Myer, Mrs Gilmore and niece, John Comb, Gus Johnson, John Griffith, Gus Williams, Miss Wilkinson, J F Kelly, Jennie Williams, Mrs Tinsly Miss Tinsly, C B Bush.

Per steamer KINGSTON from the Sound—E Franklin, Mrs White, Mrs Pearson, J G Grahame, H L Stillwell, Henry Warren, W S Conly, R C Murray, M C Drestfield, E Sanderson, A Winne, K S Paire, J S Forrester, E A Lewis, J Reed, F G Herman, M King, R J Riddell, Prof F Miller and wife, A Wicker, G W Hall, M Deek, J J Miller, J W Opp, L Herchmer and wife, Miss Herchmer, Mr Byrr, P Y Darkin, J A Macrae, J O Bradney, J H Shay, G H Grahame, D P Thomson, J Dickson, Mr Rappley, T McCoy, J Ferdette and wife, A M R Grahame, D Deming, A Eggers, F Blaensa, O G Ellis, Mrs O G Ellis, R Jenson, Mrs Tweedie, D V Stewart, Mrs E A Wellman, Mrs Dickson, E Jameson, L Newman.

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Per steamer ROSALIE from the Sound—Brackman & Ker M Co, John Wilson & Co, Simon Leiser, G N Exp Co.

Per steamer KINGSTON from the Sound—Dixi H Ross, Fell & Co, J J Downey, Langley & H Bros, G Sterner, J F Galbraith, Everly & Co.

PERSONAL.

Robert Harvey has left on a trip to the Mainland.

Thomas Dunn, of Vancouver, is paying the Capital a visit.

J. P. B. Battiscomb, clerk of the Hotel Vancouver, is at the Driard.

T. M. Henderson left by the Eupress last night on a trip to Japan.

J. A. Macrae returned from Puget Sound by Sunday's afternoon steamer.

S. P. and Mrs. Mills returned from Seattle by the Rosalie yesterday morning.

Capt. Lewis, shipping master, is confined to the house through indisposition.

Charles B. Hadley, of the San Francisco Examiner, is a guest at the Hotel Driard.

Mrs. F. B. Johnson and Miss Johnson, of Seattle, are visiting with the Misses Conlin.

Hon. Sydney Parker and A. Mitchell Innes, England, are registered at the Balmoral.

Fred McCoy, of Tacoma, and D. A. McKinnon, of Alberni, are staying at the Wilson.

J. H. Macdonald, Toronto, and W. G. Harvey, Vancouver, are among the arrivals at the Driard.

Miss Ella Conlin returned from the Sound on Sunday after spending a three weeks' vacation with friends.

M. King and E. A. Lewis were passengers home from the Sound by the City of Kingston on Sunday evening.

Ex-Mayor and Miss Hilbert, of Nanaimo, are among the passengers by the Walla Walla, from San Francisco.

J. S. Levesey and W. A. Somerset, of London, who have been visiting the Kootenay country, are registered at the Driard.

Mrs. Schaefer, mother of Mrs. Hinckson Siddall, who has been for some months on a visit here, leaves by the City of Puebla this evening for Oakland, en route to Los Angeles.

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POLITICS IN GERMANY.

Criminal Procedure Reforms—Improvement in the Ministerial Situation—Bismarck Weaker—Samoan Affairs.

BERLIN, Aug. 24.—The Reichsanziger says it is authorized to announce that the Emperor William desires a bill to be drawn up and submitted to the Bundesrath based on the lines of the statement which Prince Hohenlohe made in the Reichstag on May 18 last, relative to reforming the criminal procedure in the army. It is hoped that concessions upon the part of the Emperor will do much to end the ministerial crisis which has been a factor for a long time past and which is said to have caused the retirement of the minister for war, and which was looked upon as likely to bring about the resignation of the Imperial Chancellor. These ministers have steadily advocated reform in military trials, and the Emperor has steadily opposed it on the ground that it would tend to demoralize the army by making public matters which should be confined strictly to official circles.

The Emperor's differences with Prince Hohenlohe include the labor policy of the government, His Majesty wishing to end the period of conciliation so far as the socialists are concerned, and the naval programme, the Emperor desiring the passage of a bill providing for an increase of 150,000,000 marks in the expenditures. The chancellor insists that passage of the latter measure is impossible if the military reform bill is shelved. Prince Hohenlohe, however, will remain in office until he has conferred with the Czar and Prince Lobanoff-Rostovski, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, on the state of Europe and the future policy of the empires.

The Hamburger correspondent, in an inspired article, speaks of American "intrigues" in Samoa, adding: "There is a strong feeling in the United States in favor of annexation, and German interests demand prompt and decisive action."

The health of Prince Bismarck is less satisfactory than could be wished. He has a growing sense of his physical weakness; his deafness is increasing and his eyes have weakened when compared with his condition six months ago.

The government physician, Dr. Urbazz, who has been touring in East Prussia, reports an increase of leprosy, especially on the Russian frontier, and advises the establishment of a leprosy hospital.

POLITICAL PRISONERS RELEASED

Whitehead and Gallagher, Noted Irish Convicts, Set at Liberty.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—Albert George Whitehead, an Irish political prisoner, was released from Portland prison on Saturday morning. Whitehead is an American citizen. Before coming to this country he resided in New Jersey. He will probably sail for the United States on Monday next. Whitehead, whose real name is Murphy, was convicted with Dr. Thomas Gallagher, John Curtis Kent and Harry Hammond Wilson in London thirteen years ago, and sentenced to penal servitude for life. Late reports from confidential sources on the other side to men working for the amnesty association in the country say Whitehead is mentally unbalanced in consequence of the severe treatment he received in prison. Patrick J. O'Brien had a long interview with the secretary of the United States embassy, James E. Roosevelt, to-day, and it is believed that it had some connection with the steps to be taken to transport the released Irish prisoners to America. It is learned on official authority that Dr. Gallagher who, with Daly, Whitehead, and others, was convicted as a dynamiter, will be released in the course of the next ten days and will sail for the United States without delay. The U. S. government through Mr. J. R. Roosevelt, secretary of the U. S. embassy, will pay the passage of Dr. Gallagher and the physician attending him to New York.

BABYLONIAN EXCAVATIONS.

History Carried Back Over 2,250 Years—A Civilized People Seven Thousand Years Before Christ.

LONDON, Aug. 24.—News of the great success of the University of Pennsylvania expedition to Babylonia has been received here. The most notable result of the expedition is that the history of the Babylonian people as recorded in cuneiform writing on tablets is carried back at least 2,250 years further than yet known. There is now abundant evidence that the Babylonian people existed and were civilized enough to be able to write at least 7,000 years before Christ. Prof. Hilprecht is at present in Constantinople arranging for the classification of inscriptions on objects of priceless value.

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INTERNATIONAL YACHTING.

The Race Between the "Canada" and the "Vencedor" Called Off for Lack of Wind.

TOLEDO, Ohio, Aug. 24.—After sailing over the first leg and a little more than half the second of the International yachts race course to-day, the judges declared the race off, as it was evident that neither boat could sail the 24 knot course within the time limit of five and one-half hours. It was little more than a drift all the while the race was on. The only thing demonstrated was that the Canada can outsail the Vencedor in a light wind and the Canada's sailors can outsail the crew on the Vencedor. The Canada took the lead after crossing the line and increased it to about one mile at the first turn, four knots from the start. The Canada's time in the first leg was two hours and 14 minutes. As there was no improvement in the breeze while the boats were sailing on the second leg the race was called off.

The probability of a breeze coming up was very remote; the judges, however, permitted the race to go on so long as there was any sort of a chance to finish within the time limit. At 2:40 o'clock the Canada was still beating on the second leg and there was no sign of a breeze, so the judges on the steam yacht Stigma steamed away. The race was little more than a drifting match. Skipper Jarvis was at the helm of the Canada.

THE TROUBLES OF SPAIN.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The developments of the troubles of Spain are followed with considerable interest. The outbreak in the Phillipine islands is regarded as seriously increasing her difficulties, and the news of the discovery of the conspiracy has caused great excitement in Madrid, where it is said that the government is considering the Spanish garrisons. The object of the conspirators is to secure the independence of the Phillipine islands, and a committee of refugees at Hongkong is said to have relations with the Cuban insurgents.

The embarkation of reinforcements for Cuba commenced to-day. The Spanish police are extremely alive in the towns throughout the country just now endeavoring to get at the bottom of the supposed Republican plot to cause an uprising by exciting the masses, who oppose the departure of further troops for Cuba. Numerous arrests have been made among the Republicans, and great precautions are being taken in Madrid and other large cities.

THE ninth and last of the series of organ recitals with which Mr. J. E. Bridgman has so delighted the members and adherents of St. John's church, was given Sunday evening, the congregation being especially large and many music-lovers from other churrhes arriving in time for the after-evensong treat. The programme included five numbers, selected from the works of Bache, Thorne, Lemare, Guilmant and Batiste, the andante and allegro (Bache) which was first presented being received with particular favor. Mr. Bridgman leaves this morning for England, taking with him the best wishes of Victoria's entire musical world.

THE northeastern coast of Vancouver island appears to be unfortunate cruising ground for the flagships of Her Majesty's North Pacific squadron, H.M.S. Warspite having met with serious damage there a few years ago, and now a mishap is reported to the Imperieuse, the full extent of which will, without doubt, not be known until that warship returns to Esquimalt, She left here Friday on a cruise that was to occupy about ten days and had reached Nanoose bay, just above Nanaimo, when dense fog settled down upon the water, combining with the smoke from the bush fires that has clouded the air for some days past to make navigation extremely difficult. Under these trying conditions it is said the big cruiser came too close inshore after passing the Coal City, with the result that she grazed a submerged rock. Whether this menace to navigation is or is not charted has not yet been ascertained, but the report states that the bow cleared it and the stern struck. The damage done does not appear to have been immediately serious, for the ship continued her voyage to Comox where she lay at anchor yesterday. The divers at last advices were making an examination of the ship's bottom with a view to ascertaining the extent of her injuries; the result could not even be guessed at last evening, a request for information from Comox brought the news that the wires were in difficulty. It is very probable in any event that the Imperieuse will return as speedily as possible to be docked.

The British bark Bolivia went on the marine railway at Esquimalt last evening, where she will probably remain three or four days receiving slight repairs.

Miners, prospectors, and others who require absolutely exact and reliable assays or analysis should send their samples to J. A. Macfarlane, F.C.S., Vancouver, B.C. He has a very well equipped assay office and chemical laboratory—does all his work personally and in duplicate and sends returns with great promptitude. x

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Fleischmann's Yeast.....½ to one Cake
Sugar.....Two Pounds
Cream of Tartar..... ..One-half Ounce
Lukewarm Water..... ....Two Gallons.

Dissolve the sugar, cream of tartar and yeast in the water, add the extract, and bottle; put in a warm place for twenty-four hours until it ferments, then place on ice when it will open sparkling cool and delicious.

The ginger beer can be obtained in all drug and grocery stores in 10 cent bottles to make two gallons.

Wholesale agents for British Columbia: Langley & Henderson Bros., successors to Langley & Co., Victoria and Vancouver: McDowell, Atkins, Watson & Co., Vancouver. ap11-4m

A FORTNIGHT'S good sport is looked for by Messrs. J. G. Elliott, J. G. Miller, H. A. Macaulay and S. B. Martin, who through the courtesy of Mr. J. A. Sayward left on the tug Hope last evening for Valdez island, where they expect to work dire distress among the grouse and deer. Scows have already been secured for bringing home the spoils.

THE Sons of St. George held their quarterly meeting last evening with a numerous attendance, which manifested the increased interest taken in its doings. The balance sheet showed the lodge to be advancing steadily and prosperously; initiations have taken place at every meeting for a long time past, and the members accord a hearty welcome to all Englishmen strangers to this city. At last evening's meeting it was decided to hold the annual masquerade ball on the 23rd of October, and it is the intention of the members to make it one of the most enjoyable and entertaining held for the last few years. A reunion of the Sons and Daughters of St. George takes place next Monday evening.

AN attraction for this afternorn and evening is the garden fete and promenade concert to be held by permission of the Misses Carr at their grounds, Carr street, James Bay, under the auspices of St. James church. The gates will be open at 4 o'clock, and besides lawn tennis there will be games of various sorts, fortune telling and other amusements. From 7:30 till 10 in the evening the Fifth Regiment band will play, refreshments will be served, and altogether an enjoyable time may be expected. The entrance fee is small, and for the convenience of bicyclists arrangements have been made to check their wheels.

THE steamer Sadie took the quarterly supplies for the lepers out to Darcey island yesterday, Dr. George H. Duncan, medical health officer, making the trip for the purpose of seeing how the unfortunate creatures at the lazaretto were progressing. It was found that since the last visit one of the Chinamen from Victoria had died, leaving only seven afflicted people on the island. The disease in the past few months has been making rapid progress, especially in the case of one Chinaman who was sent to the island five years ago suffering from a nervous form of the loathsome malady. In his case the tubercular form has developed and is rapidly developing, so that in a short time it must prove fatal. The man who has died was the most energetic of the colony and to his efforts is due the excellent condition of the gardens and the other improvements made by the unfortunates.

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